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# IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 1

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#### INTERRODATORY NO. 8(d)

# UNITED STATES VANADAUT CORPORATION

PRODUCTIVE OF LUMB VALABLE A CKIDE

## FOR THE PLATO JAMES BY 1, 1933 TO DECEMBER 31, 1947

# COUNTRY OF ALE POURLY OF VOO.

		_		
	UPAVAN	Rifle	Duran, o	Total
1933		-		-
1934	-	•		-
1935	-	-		-
1936	33,446	-	- 1	33,446
1937	1,214,063	-		1,214,003
1933	1,875,696	•	•	1,875,696
1939	2,004,993	•		2,004,503
1940	2,175,853		•	2,175,023
1941	2,370,701	-	€	2,370,701
1942	2,174,433	1,003,073		3,272,511
1943	1,734,230	1,325,006	•	3,000,000
1944	722,293	1,357,00)	170,135	2,257,457
1945		1,594,200	351,652	1,041,102
1946	-	1,321,933	-	1,001,000
1047	-	2,200,041	-	2,800,041

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FXHIBIT III

# QUANTITATIVE YEARLY TOTAL OF VANADIUM PENTOXIDE PRODUCED - 1933 - 1947

Year	Lbs. V205
1933	83,525
1934	377,374
1935	None
.936	420,318
1937	1,035,337
1938	1,354,891
1939	2,400,547
1940	2,379,372
1941	2,421,959
1942	3,097,962
1943	4 2,958,368
1944	1,992,783
1945	1,811,161
1946	809,960
1947	2,717,134

#### INTERROGATORY NO. 8(E)

#### INION CARRIES AND CARBON CORPURATION AND SUPERIFICIARIES CONSOSIDATED

STATUTENT SHOWING QUANTITY OF VARALIGH CXIDE AND ANDONIUM PETAVAHADATE SOLD FURING THE PERIOD JAHUARY 1, 1933 TO AND INCLUDING TECHNICR 21, 1947

VARIADIUM CRIDE (Lb. Contained V205)	Year	AGUNIUM PERAVANADATE (Lb. of Meterial)
217,333.67	1933	2,991
786,785.30	1934	1,000
573,654.40	1935	2,000
377,063.51	1936	1,402
888,397.75	1937	2,431
1,255,222.11	1923	360
1,139,109.70	1939	160
743,673.95	1940	133
369,534.74	1941	921
341,236.00	1542	1/4
247,753.34	1943	£3 (**)
151,854.65	1944	2,200
313,856.29	1945	2,401
805,962.96	1546	7,827
2.133,647.97	1947	40,194 1/2

Sales of sand tailings to the Eanhattan District in the years 1943 and 1944 are not reflected in the figures above.

## EXHIBIT VI

QUANTITATIVE YEARLY TOTAL OF ALL VANADIUM COMPOUNDS /
OTHER THAN PERROVANADIUM AND VANADIUM PENTOXIDE
(1) PRODUCED AND (2) SOLD FROM JANUARY 1, 1933
THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1947

Year	Lbs. Produced	Lbs, Fold
1933	1,256	1,112
1934	877	1,523
1935	2,159	1,964
1936	3,153	2,496
1937	7,427	6,878
1938	3,566	1,693
1939	32,688	26,769
1940	39,785	31,193
1941	236,346	194,386
1942	908,912	814,189
1943	142,067	131,663
1944	221,934	228,096
1945	189,694	120,739
1946	25,533	39,256
1947	21,458	- 48,573 4

New York, N. T., May 9, 10

# AMERICA PROBLEM PRODUCTION (1919-1961, Inclusive)

		High Resed	Open Hearth	Special	Total			High Speed	Open Hearth	Special	Total .
1933	Columbiana Total	10,29	170,519	<u>:</u>	10,297 170,519 180,616	1939	Riagara Columbiana Total	29,094	133,600 138,534	21,123 102,658 123,761	26,057
1934	Hispara Columbiana Total	<u>:</u>	163,021	65,107	226,126	1940	Niagara Columbiana Total	30, 110	65,518	183,996	95,828
1995	Hispara Calumbiana Total	17.95	134,850	29,114 19,114	181,319 181,319	1941	Biagare Columbiana Alley	3,440 135,618	,	183,998	207,078 813,219 302,876
1936	Hispara Columbiana Total	75.155 75.155	1,2670 62,763 64,070	13,94 13,98	1,267** 191,786 193,073	1942	Total Miagara Columbiana Alloy	139,758 14,854 17,202	75,806 155,987	20,107 345,157	1,323,173 110,767 618,346
1937	Hispare Columbiana Total	13.397	115,600	113,177	301.217 301.217	1963	Total Niagara Columbiana Allor	184,914	214,011	610,426 775,690 4,461 595,392	610, 1,26 1,539,539 1,1,61 839,103
1938	Niagara Columbiana Total	13.116 13.116	157.765 157,785	M. 216	25,079 25,079	1914	Total Riagara Columbiana Alloy	123,890 104,501	175,480	367,853	1,084,953
		Course	nion - One	tomerie M	terial.		Total	226,391	303,513	307,053	312,53L

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IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 2

## EXHIBIT IV

## QUANTITATIVE YEARLY TOTAL OF FERROVANADIUM PRODUCED - 1933 - 1947

Iear	Lbs. "V"
1933	184,692
1934	673,434
1935	612,943
1936	632,106
1937	1,039,999
1938	488,259
1939	788,682
1940	1,569,473
1941	2,360,386
1942	2,559,585
1943	2,834,951
1944	2,020,644
1945	1,457,220
1946	741,113
1947	667,224

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I 32. That during the period 1933 through 1944 the 2 total production of ferrovanadium by Electro Metallurgical 3 Co. was approximately 7,834,731 pounds contained vanadium. 4 AMSWER: Said defendants hereby revise their answer to Interrogatory 8(e) propounded by plaintiffs and on file herein 5 6 and admit that Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation and its 7 United States subsidiaries, consolidated produced the follow-8 ing quantities of ferrovanadium in the years indicated:

9	Year	Pounds of Contained "V"
10	(9)	
11	1933	180,816
12	1934	228,128
13	1935	181,319
14	1936	193,073
15	1937	301,217
16	1938	245,079
19	1939	292,347
18	1940	443,688
19	1941	1,323,641
20	1942	1,540,524
21	1943	1,835,628
<b>2</b> 2	1944	1,066,508
<b>Q3</b>	1945	708,649
*	1946	450,855
25	1947	406,701
26	Total	9,406,173

Said revision is occasioned by clerical errors or different accounting methods used in prior computations.

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#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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#### VANADIUM COMPORATION OF AMERICA

TOTAL DONESTIC SALES (Exclusive of Sales to U. S. Government)

#### FERRO VANADIUM AND VANADIUM PERTOLIDE

## YEARS 1933 - 1944 INCLUSIVE

	Ferro Vanadium	Vanadium Penteride		
	(In Pounds etd v)	(In Pounds etd V205)		
1933	363.947.64	23,028.54		
1934	466,626.80	18,205.55		
1935	477,592.60	93,669.18		
1936	703,386.39	20,711.15		
1937	827,527,92	126,349.30		
1938	282,286,73	969,235.71		
1939	796,796.76	1,676,000.24		
1940	1,377,131.35	281,172,10		
1941	2,588,141.51	358,165.52		
1942	2,468,051.80	537,155.21		
1943	2,084,792.83	111,153,46		
1944	1,970,858.30	192,281.56		
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# TOTAL TORNAGE OF ALL VARIETIES OF VANADIUM SOLD IN UNITED STATES 1933 - 1944

	FERROVANADIUM (Lb. Contained V)	(Lb. Contained V-Oc)	(Lb. of Material)
1933	272,229	217,334	2,991
1934	215,598	800,193	1,150
	215,319	521,112	2,000
1935	231,704	378,128	1,412
1936		588,670	2,470
1937	291,945	172,733	360
1938	125,745	174,665	2,144
1939	270,577	163,904	233
1940	440,494	235,917	2,796
1941	1,333,440		-, -,
1942	1,312,512	309,763	23
1943	1,547,440	203,310	2,200
1944	932,486	148,327	2,200

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	****	279,436	2.60	2.40	43,994	2.70	2.70	752	2.80	2.80		
	3933	277,430	2.70	2.70	182,902	2.60	2.80	1,362	2.90	2.90		
	272		2.70	2.70	199,364	2.60	2.80	538	2.90	2.90		
	1939 1934 1937	477,484	2.70	2.70	260,969	2.60	2.60	4,930	2.90	2.90		
	20,00	447,400		2.70		2.60	2.00	12,096	2.90	2.90		
	2007	433,781	2.70		397,790	2.80	2.90	2,676	2.90	3.00		
	1930	20,000	2.70	2.60	46,533	2.80	2.90	7,892	2.90	3.00		
	2939	342,001	2.70	2.60	453,225	2.60	2.90	18,667	2.90	3.00		
	3940	905,236	2.70	2.60		2.80	2.90	31,582	2.90	3.00		
	3943 3943	1,423,097	2.70	2.60	932,661	2.60	2.90	13.74	2.90	3.00		
	3943	1,200,119	2.70	2.60	1,164,190		2.90	\$2,247	2.90	3.00		
	390	1,306,034	2.70	2.60	726,510	2.60			2.90	3.00		
	3945	1,193,370	2.70	2.50	693,236	2.80	2.90	12,691	2.90	3.00		
3	2745	742,133	2.70	2.80	635,478	2.60	2.90			3.00		
	3946	413,527	2.70	2.60	357,609	2.60	2.90	1,694	2.90			
	2947	422.952	2.70	2.80 (1)	375,586	2.80	2.90 (2)	3,707	2.90	3.00(3)		

- (1) Contract price advanced to \$2.90 and spot price to \$3.00 on or about October 1, 1947.
- (2) Contract price advanced to \$3.00 and spot price to \$3.10 on or about October 1, 1947.
- (3) Contract price advanced to \$3.30 and spot price to \$3.30 on or about October 1, 1947.

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	Ferro V	anadium	Vanadium Pentoxide Lbs. "Y205" Contained		
Lear	Inventory 12/31	Sales for Yes	Inventory 12/31	Sales for Year	
1933	96,162.97	458,02	99,908.38	23,028.54	
1934	226,044.52	543,552.21	149,567.57	18,205.55	
1935	382,043.92	481,041.82	97,067.12	189,790.89	
1936	256,373.42	759,073.11	93,599.53	107,061.55	
1937	237,391.89	1,058,999.39	127,737.94	126,353.53	
1938	304,192.88	421,457.98	69,948.01	989,239.93	
1939	239,472.73	851,581.98	185,997.29	1,959,653.02	
1940	321,570.99	1,491,119.30	451,196.82	632,661.67	
1941	117,206.74	2,598,867.65	93,368.18	358,165.52	
1942	126,346.04	2,566,130.78	83,533.32	537,176.37	
1943	194,073.90	2,761,995.02	186,050.29	111,247.41	
1944	77,778.29	2,254,130.59	101,134.58	192,281,84	

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CROCKER BUILDING

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TELEPHONE GARRIELD : 5670

November 15, 1950

Joseph L. Alioto, Esq. 111 Sutter Street San Francisco 4, California

> Re: Continental Ore Company et al. v. Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation et al.

Dear Mr. Alioto:

Enclosed herewith is a statement of returned or cancelled sales of ferrovanadium in the United States for the years 1935 through 1944. In the statement previously delivered to you on June 2, 1950, showing ferrovanadium sales in the United States adjustment is not made for these returned or cancelled sales.

Very truly yours,

Hatut W. Clark

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## INTERROGATORY NO. 8(f)

# UNION CARBIDE AND CARBON CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED

# STATEMENT SHOWING QUANTITY OF FERROVANADIUM (BY GRADES) SOLD, AND AVERAGE UNIT SALES PRICES PERIOD JANUARY 1, 1933 TO AND INCLUDING DECEMBER 1, 1947

	FERROVANADIUM HIGH SPEED			FERROVANADIUM SPECIAL			FERROVANADIUM OPEN HEARTH		
Year	Lbs. V Sold		verage Unit Sales Price er Lb. V	Lbs. V Sold		Verage Unit Sales Price er Lb. V	Lbs, V Sold		Unit Sales Price er Lb. V
1933	1,627.54	\$	2.867	61,987.84	\$	2.671	222,076.91	*	2.627
1934	3,259.83	\$	2.890	51,058.58	\$	2.800	172,730.03	\$	2.703
1935	6,244.51	\$	2.894	68,278.95	\$	2.799	148,874.66	\$	2.699
1936	15,536.65	\$	2.902	87,106.73	\$	2.798	141,139.29	\$	2.701
1937	34,446.20	\$	2.889	134,726.42	\$	2.850	146,382.26	\$	2.705
1938	14,648.43	\$	2.923	38,412.44	\$	2.929	83,367.89	\$	2.703
1939	47,291.87	\$	3.141	152,782.84	\$	3.004	168,281.39	\$	2.701
1940	57,190.75	\$	3.198	211,328.83	\$	2.893	249,094.94	\$	2.700
1941	127,305.35	\$	2.980	514,607.52	\$	2.807	816,641.76	\$	2.718
1942	89,563.08	\$	2.945	662,752.39	\$	2.800	663,995.92	\$	2.729
1943	188,885.309	\$	2.927	623,235.89	\$	2.808	946,676.82	\$	2.731
1944	283,427.315	\$	2.904	325,446.46	\$	2.825	532,874.448	\$	2.720
1945	21,418.91	\$	3.029	292,274.64	\$	2.816	338,915.49	\$	2.742
1946	45,607.19	\$	3.009	269,425.90	\$	2.800	177,691.53	\$	2.723
1947	36,427.041	\$	2.997	188,207.84	\$	2.812	268,916.70	\$	2.763

The sale prices received by Electro Metallurgical Company of Canada Ltd., for ferrovanadium sold in Canada are included in arriving at the average unit sales prices shown above. [fol. 15]

## INTERROGATORY NO. 8(i)

## Part of Interrogatory

STATEMENT SHOWING AVERAGE UNIT SALES PRICES IN CANADA FOR FERROVANADIUM (BY GRADES) SOLD DURING THE PERIOD JANUARY 1, 1933 TO AND INCLUDING JULY 15, 1949

	FERROVANADIUM HIGH SPEED  Average Unit Sales Price Per Lb. V		SPECIAL  Average Unit Sales Price Per Lb. V		FERROVANADIUM OPEN HEARTH  Average Unit Sales Price Per Lb. V	
Year						
1933	Can \$	3.299	Can \$	3.150	Can \$	3.049
1934		3.300		2.800		2.736
1935				2.799		2.669
1936		_		_		2.700
1937		_		_		2.700
1938		2.912		_		2.702
1939		2.904		. —		2.700
1940		2.902		3.100		2.700
1941		3.102		3.150		2.923
1942		3.149		_		2.950
1943		3.136		3.110		2.989
1944		3.419		3.110		3.000
1945		3.220		3.110		3.000
1946		3.195		_		2.910
1947		2.995		_		2.829
1948		3.280		_		3.071
1949 (Partial Year January 1 to and Including July 15)		3.280		-		3.071

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IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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## ELECTRO METALLURGICAL BALES CORPORATION

#### TYPED PRICE SERETS

#### AMMONTUM META VANADATE

Dated - 12/5/28 - \$2.50 per running pound, delivered

6/8/32 - \$2.00 per pound, delivered. Freight surcharge for account of Buyer.

12/19/32- \$1.90 per pound, delivered.

1/1/35 - Lots of 5,000 and over - \$1.90 per 1b.
Lots under 5,000 - 2.00

Both prices are quoted f.o.b. our Works or warehouses with freight charges allowed to points within a reasonable distance.

#### FERROVANADIUM

2/1/28 - Open Hearth Grade: \$3.15

Special Grade: 3.40 High Speed Grade: 3.55

All prices per pound contained vanadium, f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed to reasonable distance.

12/5/28 - Open Hearth Grade: \$3.15 Special Grade: 3.25 High Speed Grade: 3.40

> All prices per pound of contained vanadium, f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed to reasonable distance.

12/7/31 - Open Hearth Grade: \$3.05 Special Grade: 3.15

High Speed: 3.30

All prices per pound of contained vanadium, f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed to reasonable distance.

Freight surcharge for account of Buyer.

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# Electro Metallurgical Sales Corp. Typed Price Sheets (Contd.)

#### PERROVAHADIUN

Dated - 12/19/32 - Open Hearth Grade: \$2.60 Special Grade: 2.70

Special Grade: 2.70 High Speed Grade: 2.80

All prices per pound contained vanadium, fo.b. our works with freight charges allowed to points within a reasonable distance.

1/1/35 - Open Hearth Grade: \$2.70 Special Grade: 2.80

High Speed Grade: 2.90

All prices per pound of contained vanadium, f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed to points within a reasonable distance.

#### VAHADIUM OXIDE

Dated - 12/5/28 - Spot Contract 500 lbs. or more \$1.65 Less than 500 lbs. 1.75

The above prices are per pound of contained  $V_2O_5$ , f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed.

12/7/31 - <u>Spot</u> <u>Contract</u> 500 lbs. or more \$1.25 Under 500 lbs. 1.35

Above prices per pound of contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed. Freight surcharge for account of buyer.

12/19/32 <u>Spot</u> <u>Contract</u> 500 lbs. or more \$1.05

Under 500 lbs. 1.15

Above prices are per pound contained  $V_2O_5$ , f.o.b. our works with freight charges allowed.

Electro Metallurgical Sales Corp.
Typed Price Sheets
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## VANADIUM OXIDE

Dated	•	1/1/35	•	Spot	Contract
			Any quantity 500 lbs. or more	\$1.10	\$1.10
		-	Under 500 lbs.	1.20	

All prices are per pound of contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, f.o.b. our Works with freight charges allowed to points within a reasonable distance.

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## STANDARD PRICES SPECIFIED IN 1937 CONTRACTS

#### FERROVANADIUM

Perrovanadium, in lump form or crushed to as small as 20 mesh and down, in any quantity:

High Speed Grade	\$2.9	0
Special Grade	2.8	0
Open Hearth Grade	2.7	0

Delivered f.o.b. cars at works or varehouses of Electro Metallurgical Company, with freight charges allowed to destination, excepting to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

#### AMMONIUM META VANADATE

Price per pound ...... \$1.90

Delivered f.o.b. cars at works or varehouses of Electro Metallurgical Company, with freight charges allowed to destination, excepting to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

#### VARADIUM PENTOXIDE FUSED AND RED CAKE

Price per pound contained V205 ... \$1.10

Delivered f.o.b. cars at works or warehouses of Electro Metallurgical Company, with freight charges allowed to destination, excepting to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

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## STANDARD PRICES SPECIFIED IN 1938 CONTRACTS

#### PERROVANADIUM

Ferrovanadium, in lump form or crushed to as small as 20 mesh and down, in any quantity:

High Spee	d Grade			 			 		 			\$2.90
Special G	rade	٠.		 			 		 			2.80
Open Hear	th Grade			 			 		 			2.70

Delivered f.o.b. cars at works or varehouses of Electro Metallurgical Company, with freight charges allowed to destination, excepting to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

## AMMONIUM META VANADATE

5,000	lb.	or	mor	e				 			 		 	\$1.9	0	per	16.	
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Delivered f.o.b. cars at works or warehouses of Electro Metallurgical Company, with freight charges allowed to destination, excepting to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

#### VANADIUM PENTOXIDE FUSED AND RED CAKE

Price per pound contained V205 ..... \$1.10

Delivered f.o.b. cars at works or warehouses of Electro Metallurgical Company with freight charges allowed to destination, excepting to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

## STANDARD PHILES SPECIFIED IN CONTINUING CONTRACTS DATED DECEMBER 10, 1938, AND LATER

#### **FERBOVAHADIUM**

FERR VANADIUM			
Lump, or crushed	48 Mesh	65 to 100	150 or 200
to as small as 20 mesh x D	x D	Mesh x D	Mesh x D
High Speed Grade			
In any quantity			
arload Lots	\$2.93	\$2.94	\$2.95
Gross Ton Lots	2.94	2.96	2.98
Less Then Gross Ton Lots,			
Down to 200 Pounds	2.96	3.00	3.02
Less Than 200 Pounds	3.00	3.10	3.15
Special Grade			
In any quantity \$2.80			
Carload Lots	\$2.83	\$2.84	\$2.85
Gross fon Lots	2.84	2.86	2.88
Less Than Gross Ton Lots,			
Down to 200 Pounds	2.86	2.90	2.92
Less Than 200 Founds	2.90	3.00	3.05
Open Rearth Grade			
In any quantity \$2.70			
Carload Lots	\$2.73	\$2.7	\$2.75
Gross Ton Lots	2.74	2.76	2.78
Less Than Gross Ton Lots,	4		
Down to 200 Pounds	2.76	2.80	2,82
Less Than 200 Pounds	2.80	2.90	2.95

Delivered f.o.b. cars Hisgara Falls, New York, basis with freight charges allowed to destination, except to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the Rt. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to Rt. Louis will be allowed.

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Delivered f.o.b. cars Singara Falls, New York, basis, with freight charges allowed to destination, except to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Hisburi rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

#### VARADIUM PERFORITE FURED AND RED CARE

Price per pound contained V205 .. \$1.10

Delivered f.o.b. cars Hingara Falls, New York basis, with freight charges allowed to destination, except to those points taking a freight rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate; to such points the equivalent of the freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

## STANDARD PRICES SPECIFIED IN CONTINUING CONTRACTS DATED NOTIFICIAL PRICES 0, 1945 AND CONTINUING THEOREM PECAGER S1, 1944

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	1	ASTERN 20	K.		20 Mesh	ff Hesh
	Lump	20 x D	1 * x D	1/40 x D	x D	4.0
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed	49.90	\$2.90	\$2.90			
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed		2.90	2.90			
Less Than 2,000 Lb., Packed		2.90	2.90			-
SPECIAL GRAIR						
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed		2.80	2.80		\$2.80	
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed		2.00	2.20		2.80	
Lees Than 2,000 Lb., Packed		2.80	2.80	j	2.80	
OPEN HEARTH GRADE						
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed	2.70	2.70	2.70	\$2.70		\$2.74
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70		2.76
Less Then 2,000 Lb., Packed	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70		2.80
	9	DITRAL 20	11			
HIGH SPEED GRAIN						
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed		\$2.917	\$2.917			
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed		2.924	2.924			
Less Than 2,000 Lb., Packed	2.924	2.924	2,924			
SPECIAL GRADE						
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed		2.017	2.017		\$2.217	
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed		2.024	2.824		2.824	
Less Than 2,000 Lb., Packed		2,824	2.824		2.884	
OPEN HEAPTH CRAIM						
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed	2.717	2,717	2.717	\$2.717		\$2.757
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed	2.724	2.724	2.724	2.724		2.784
Less Then 2,000 Lb., Packed	2.724	2.724	2.724	2.724		2.824
	1	ESTERN 20	NZ.			
HIGH SPEED GRADE						
Carload Lots, Pulk or Packed		\$2.962	\$2.962			
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed	2.985	2.985	2.985			
SPECIAL CRAFE		2.862	2.862		2.062	
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed 2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed		2.885	2.886	135	2.662	
Less Than 2,000 Lb., Packed		2.885	2.886	-	2.985	
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OPEN HEARTH GRADE						
Carload Lots, Bulk or Packed	2.762	2.762	2.782	2.762		2.002
2,000 Lb. Up to Carload, Packed	2.785	2.785	2.785	2.785		7.645
Loss Than 2,000 Lb., Packed	2.785	2.785	2.785	2.785		2.085

All prices mentioned above are per pound of vanadium contained in the alloy.

Delivered f.o.b. cars works or warehouses of the Seller with railroad freight charges ellowed to destination (in the respective somes).

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# STANDARD PRICES SPECIFIED IN CONTINUING CONTRACTS DATED NOVEMBER 8, 1945 AND CONTINUING THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1944

(Continued)

## AMMONIUM META VANADATE

1,000 lbs. or more	1.90	per	1b.	
1,000 lbs. or more	2.00			

Delivered f.o.b. cars works or warehouses of the Seller with railroad freight charges allowed to destination.

## VANADIUM PENTOXIDE FUSED AND RED CAKE

In Any Quantity ..... \$1.10 per pound contained V205

Delivered f.o.h. cars works or warehouses of the Seller with railroad freight charges allowed to destination,

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# IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 5

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1933 FERRO ALLOY PRICES 12-20-32 Sheet 5

## FERRO VANADIUM

	FERRO VANADICA	
CONTRACT AND	Grade "A" Open Hearth	\$2.60
SPOT	Grade "B" Crucible	2.70
	Grade "C" Primos	2.80

Per pound of contained Vanadium, F.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Penna. with Freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi and north of Baltimore. (SPOT:— freight allowed only-on quantities of 50# and over)

## VANADIUM PENTOXIDE (TECHNICAL)

Ton	lots	and	contract	*****************	\$1.05	)
					1.15	

Less ton lots, spot ...... 1.15

Per pound of V205 contained, F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore (Spot:— freight allowed on quantities of 50# and up)

## AMMONIUM META VANADATE (TECHNICAL)

Spot and contract ...... \$1.90

Per pound net, F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (Spot:—freight allowed on quantities of over 50#)

# TERMS:— NET CASH THIRTY DAYS — NEW YORK EXCHANGE

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## FERRO VANADIUM

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## CONTRACT & SPOT PRICES

F.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed only on quantities of 50# and over.)

## VANADIUM PENTOXIDE (TECHNICAL)

Per pound of contained V205 F OB Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed only on quantities of 50# and over.)

## AMMONIUM METAL VANADATE (TECHNICAL)

Spot and contract ......\$2.00

Per pound net F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed on quantities of over 50#.)

## LOW CARBON FERRO TITANIUM

Contract and spot ............. \$1.40 per lb. contained Ti F.O.B. Suspension Bridge, N. Y. or Bridgeville, Pa.

TERMS:- NET CASH 30 DAYS - NEW YORK FUNDS

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FERRO VANADIUM

FERRO VANADIUM

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## CONTRACT AND SPOT PRICES

Grade "A" Open Hearth \$2.70 per lb contained Vanadium Grade "B" Crucible 2.80 per lb contained Vanadium Grade "C" Primos 2.90 per lb contained Vanadium

F.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Penna., with efreight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore.

(Freight allowed only on quantities of 50 lbs and over)

## VANADIUM PENTOXIDE (TECHNICAL)

VANADIUM PENTOXIDE

Contract, any quantity and 500# or more, spot .......\$1.10

Per pound of contained V2O5

F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna., with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi Rr and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed only on quantities of 50# and over)

## AMMONIUM META VANADATE (TECHNICAL)

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Per pound net

F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna., with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi Rr and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed on quantities of 50# and over)

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Contract and Spot ......\$1.40 per lb. contained Ti

F.O.B. Bridgeville, Pennsylvania

TERMS: NET CASH THIRTY DAYS - NEW YORK FUNDS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

[fol. 27] Page 5 12/11/35 [Handwritten notation—1936] FERRO VANADIUM FERRO VANADIUM CONTRACT & SPOT PRICES Grade "A" Open Hearth .... \$2.70 per pound of contained Vanadium Grade "B" Crucible ......... 2.80 " Grade "C" Primos ...... 2.90 " F.O.B. Cars Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed only on quantity of 50# and over) VANADIUM PENTOXIDE, TECHNICAL VANADIUM PENTOXIDE, TECH. Contract, any quantity, Per pound of contained V205 F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (Freight allowed only on quantities of 50# and over) AMMONIUM META VANADATE (TECHNICAL) AMMONIUM VANADATE Contract and spot .......\$2.00 1,000# or over ...... 1:90 Contract minimum over period of one year 1,000 ..... All per pound net, F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River

TERMS: (NET CASH THIRTY DAYS—NEW YORK FUNDS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED—ON ALL PRODUCTS LISTED IN THIS PRICE LIST).

(Freight allowed on quantities of 50# and over)

and north of Baltimore.

December 10, 1936

## VANADIUM PENTOXIDE, TECHNICAL

Air Dried and Fused

Contract, any quantity, and 500# or more, spot ... \$1.10 per pound of contained V2O5

Spot, 1 to 9# lots .... 1.25 per pound net " 10 to 499# ..... 1.15 per pound contained V2O5

F.O.B. Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. (freight allowed only on quantities of 50# and over)

Terms:-net cash 30 days

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December 10, 1936

## FERRO VANADIUM CONTRACT AND SPOT PRICES

Grade	"A"	Open Hearth	\$2.70	per	pound	of	contained	Vanadium
46	"B"	Crucible	2.80	per	pound	of	contained	Vanadium
66	"C"	Primos	2.90	per	pound	of	contained	Vanadium

F.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Penna. with freight allowed and prepaid to points east of the Mississippi River and north of Baltimore. Freight allowed only on quantities of 50# and over.

Terms: Net cash 30 days.

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Grade "A" Open Hearth	35/40	12	max.	3.50	max.
Grade "B" Crucible	35/45	3.50	max.	.50	max.
Grade "C" Primos	35/45	1.25	max.	.20	max.
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	* CONTR	ACT PE	ICES	SPOT P	RICES
Grade "A" Open Hearth		\$2.70		\$2.	80
Grade "B" Crucible		2.80		2.	90
Grade "C" Primos	14	2.90		3.	00
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## All per pound of contained Vanadium

F.O.B. our works, Bridgeville, Pennsylvania.

Freight prepaid and allowed, except to points taking a rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate, on fifty pounds and over. Maximum freight allowance based on rate to St. Louis, Missouri.

Terms: Net cash thirty days.

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## VANADIUM PENTOXIDE, TECHNICAL Air Dried or Fused Form

## CONTRACT PRICE

Any quantity ...... \$1.10 per pound of contained V2Os

## SPOT PRICE

500 pounds and over .. \$1.15 per pound of contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> 10 to 499 pounds ....... 1.20 per pound of contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> 9 pounds and under .. 1.25 per pound net

F.O.B. our works, Bridgeville, Pennsylvania.

Freight prepaid and allowed on quantities of fifty pounds and over except to points taking a rate in excess of the St. Louis, Missouri rate. Maximum freight allowance based on rate to St. Louis, Missouri.

Terms: Net cash thirty days.

1940 Price List Effective 1/1/40

#### PERSO VALLDER

#### Lump, crushed or ground as fine as 20 mesh I down

	15 T	12 max.	3,50 max
Grade "A" Open Ber	17th 35/40	12 -1.	3,50 max.
Grade "3" Crucible	35/45	3,50 mg.	.50 == 2.
Grade "C" Primos	35/45	1,25 mr.	.20 ms.

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Grade	•4•	Open Bearth	\$2,70	\$2,80
Grade	·J·	Crucible	2,60	2.90
Grade	-C-	Primos	2.90	3,00

Prices per poun! of contained Vanadium

F.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Pennsylvania. Freight allowed on quantities of twenty-five pounds and ever provided that the freight rate does not exceed the rate to St. Louis. Missouri. In such case the maximum freight allowance will be based on the freight rate to St. Louis Missouri.

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1940 Price List Effective 1/1/40

#### VANADIUM PENTONIDE TROUBLICAL

#### Air Dried or Pused Form

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Any quantity ......\$1.10 per pound contained 7205

#### SPOT PRICE

#### GTANDARD SIZES:

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#### VARIABIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Price List Effective Januar, 1st, 1941

## FIRM VARADING Lump, crushed or ground as fine as 20 mesh x down

Grade "A" Open Hearth	\$ ¥ 35/40	5 Si 12 max.	\$ c 3.50 max.
Grade *B* Crucible	35/45	3,50 max.	,50 max,
Grade "C" Primes	35/45	1.25 max.	.20 max,

	CONTRACT PRICES	SPOT PRICES
Grade "A" Open Hearth	\$2.70	\$2,80
Grade "B" Crucible	2,50	2.90
Grade "C" Primos	2.90	3.00

Prices per pound of contained Vanadium

F.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Pennsylvania. Freight allowed on quantities of twenty-five pounds and over provided that the freight rate does not exceed the rate to St. Louis, Hissouri. In such case the maximum freight allowance will be based on the freight rate to St. Louis, Missouri.

Terms: Net cash thirty days

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## VARIADITE CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Price List Efective. Jamuary 1st, 1941

## VARIADION PERSONIDE, TROUBLEAL Air Dried or Pased Form

## CONTRACT PRICE

Any quantity ------ - - - \$1,10 per pound contained ¥205

#### SPOT PRICE

## STANDARD SIZES:

Air Dried - Powder

- Crushed approx. 3/4" x down, however will furnish material at no extra crushing charge for sises down to and including 1/4" x down. Crushing extras for smaller sises as follows:

8 Mesh z down \$0.0175 per 1b. ctd. v20 Ton Lots \$0.015 per 16. ctd. y205

Less fon Lots 200 pounds and up Under 200 pounds

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For sizes smaller than 20 mesh x down refer to New York Office.

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Terms; Not cash thirty days

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#### VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Price List Effective Jamus y 1st, 1962

#### PERRO VAMADIUM

#### Lump, crushed or ground as fine as 20 mesh x down

Grade	"A"	Open Hearth	35/40	₹ 91 12 max.	3.50 max.
Grade	"B"	Crucible	35/15	3.50 max.	.50 max.
Grade	"C"	Primos	35/45	1.25 max.	.20 max.
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Orade	"A"	Open Hearth	9 2,	70	\$ 2.80
Grade	"B"	Crucible	2.	.80	2.90
Grade	"C"	Primos	2.	90	3.00

Prices per pound of contained Vanadium

P.O.B. cars Bridgeville, Pennsylvania, Freight allowed on quantities of twenty-five pounds and over provided that the freight rate does not exceed the rate to St. Louis, Missouri. In such case the maximum freight allowance will be based on the freight rate to St. Louis, Missouri.

Torms: Not cash thirty days

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## VARIADIUM PERFORIDE, TECHNICAL Air Dried or Pased Porm

#### CONTRACT PRICE

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#### VAHADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Price List Effective January 1st, 1943

#### PERRO VANADIUM

## Lamp, crushed or ground as fine as 20 mesh x down

Grade "A" Open Hearth	55/40	# 81 17 max.	3.50	C max.
Grado "B" Crucible	35/A.5	3.50 max.	.50	max.
Grade "C" Primos	35/45	1.25 max.	•20	max.
	CONTRAC	7 PRICES	SPOT PRICES	
Grade "A" Open Hearth	4 2.	70	9 2.80	
Grade "B" Crucible	2.	80	2.90	
Grade "C" Primos	2.	90	3.00	

Prices per pound of contained Vanadium

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Torms: Not each thirty days

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Grade "A" Open Hearth	3-140	12	3 40 max
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Grade "B" Cru-lble	2 90		2.00
Grade "C" Prim s	2 90		3 00

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## TANABLE CORPORATION OF MERICA

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Ores "A" Open Bearth	35/40	12 ms.	3.50 max
Grade "S" Crucible	35/45	3.50 max.	.90 max
Grade "C" Prises	35/45	1.25 max.	.20
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Grade "4" Option Searth	\$ 2 %		\$ 2.00
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## VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA PURCHABING DEPARTMENT 490 LEXINGTON AVE., NEW YORK, N. Y.

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## VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT 480 LEXINGTON AVE., NEW YORK, N. Y.

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# IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT PLAINTIPPS' EXHIBIT No. 14

## IN UNITED STATES DESIGNAT COURT

#### Item 9 - Purchases

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	Vanadium Pentoxide	1.00						
1943	Flue Dust	.50				Bayonne,	N. J.	
	Line pase	-60						
	: :	•40						
	Venedium Bearing Slag	.50		**		Shipping	Point Pl	us 1/2
	Vanadium Bearing Slag	-40					2.5	
	Plue Dust	-40				New York		
	Line pase	.60				Shipping	Point	
	Sodium Vanadate	.60				Delivered	Less Pr	eight
	Flue Dust	-45				New York		
	7100 0000	.25				Shipping		
	Venedium Ashes	•50			•	Peru, S.A.	rges, et	
	Flue Dust	.20				Bayonne,	N. J.	
	Vanedium Residue					Delivered	Loss Fr	eight
	Flue Dust	.50				New York		
	Residue Vanadium Pentoxide	-89				Delivered	1	
	Flue Dust	.60				New York		
	Waste Material	•35	5 *			Delivered	1	
	MEDICA MEDITAL							
1944	Flue Dust	•45	•		•	New York	Plus 1/2 Cost	analysis
	Vanadium Pentoxide	1.00		•		Delivered	Cost	2 Analysis
		.50				Baronne,	N. J.	
	Flue Dust	.4		•		New York	Plus 1/2	_inelysis
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	townston Make Venedate	1.9	O per	r Ib.		Delivere	đ	
	Ammonium Meta Vanadate Flue Dust				¥205	New York		Analysis
		.5	9 0			Bayonne,	N. J.	
	Sedium Vanadate Residue	.6				Less Fre		
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PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 15

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STATEMENT OF PURCHASES
(EXCLUDING VANADIUM BEARING ORE), FLUE DUST,
VANADIC ACID AND FERROVANADIUM

Article	Date of Purchase	Seller	Quantity	Price Paid	Any Allowances
		Miagara Falls, N.Y.			
Ammonium Metavanadate	9/25/33 10/12/33	Vanadium Corp. of America	300 Lbs. 200 "	\$1.4500 1.4500	
Ferrovanadium	7/6/44	Vanadium Corp. of America	60000.54 Lbs.V	2.900	"V -
Vanadium Oxide	6/10/41 11/4/41 12/30/41	Vitro Mrg. Co.	31390 Lbs.V <sub>2</sub> 05 27351.21 " " 16979.44 " "	1.025 1.075 1.075	"V205 -
# 11 11	2/10/42 2/27/42 4/2/42 4/2/42	** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **	9846.16 " " 10416.47 " " 1365.73 " " 8591.88 " "	1.075 1.075 1.075 1.075	" " -

## UNITED STATES VARADIUM CORPORATION, PLANT VP

## URAVAN, COLORADO

## VANADIUM-BEARING MATERIALS PURCHASED (EXCLUDING VANADIUM ORE)

January, 1936, to July, 1945

Paid	Vendor	Purchase Order	Date Received	Pounds V205	Value	
	J. B. Claybaugh & Ben H. Simpson	PC#7963	4/3/40	234.53*	49.25	Ore Tailings
	J. B. Claybaugh & Ben H. Simpson	PC#7963	4/40	1,079.87	917.89	Red Cake
	Hesa Mines	PC#8063	5/40	680.17	578.14	Red Cake
7/31/40	Brown & Bownan	PC#8608	7/40	9,186.50	8,267.85	Fused Oxide
8/28/40	Brown & Bowman	PC#8772 PC#8857	8/15/40	1,460.00	( 250.00 ( 165.00	(Furnace Brick 1420# (Fused Oxide 40#
8/12/40	Gateway Alloys, Inc.	PC#8716	8/12/40	1,042.01	8888	Red Cake
7/11/41	Wisley & Wilson	PC#3106	7/41	4,336.20	3,642.41	Red Cake
7/11/41	Wisley & Wilson	PC#3108		109.00	91.56	Red Cake
	North Continent Mines, Inc.	PC#7936 (11/3/42)	10/42	9,383.517	5,160.93	Fusion Furnace Residue & 210# Red Cake
	North Continent Mines, Inc.	PC#8951 (3/18/43)	3/43	4,250.6	2,337.83	Pusion Furnace Residue
	Nisley & Wilson (Hauling on above tailings)	PC#9152 (4/22/43)	4/1/43 to 4/14/43		9 <b>35.</b> 99 2,461.03	Gateway Tailings. No V205 content shown. Paid for as 935.488 dry tons & \$1.00 per ton.
	H. I. Gardner (Hauling on above tailings)	PC#9556 (6/26/43)	6/43	•	305.86 730.09	No V205 content shown. Paid for as 365.875 dry tons & \$1.00 per ton.
	Nisley & Wilson	PC#11401	3/2/44	2,164.48	1,082.24	Fusion Furnace Residue
	Anaconda Copper Mining Company	10927	5/41	36,583.20	25,608.24	Car No. NP9743 Red Cake
	Anaconda Copper Mining Company	11277	6/41	36,984.19	25,888.93	Car No. NP30424 Red Cake
	Anaconda Copper Mining Company	11986	8/41	46,100.20	33,670.14	Red Cake
	Anaconda Copper Mining Company	290	10/41	40,205.10	28,143.57	Red Cake
	Anaconda Copper Mining Company	900	1/42	50,397.60	35,278.32	Red Cake
	Total Anaconda Delivered to Urave	Nn.		212,270.29	148,589.20	
	E. H. Sims	PO#7996	5/40	1,226.25	502.76	This appears to be vanadium-bearing brick reclaimed from old Rifle Mill and paid as purchased ore.
7/15/42	Louis Ackerman	PO#6915	7/8/42 &	146.73	58.69	Loma Fusion Fur. Brick
	North Continent Mines	PO#7255	8/445/42	14,345.40	7,889.97	Pusion Furnace Residue

<sup>\*</sup> Vanadium Ore Mill Tailings (No V205 Content Available)

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## UNITED STATES VARIADIUM CORPORATION, PLANT VP URAVAN, COLORADO

## VARADIUM-BEARING MATERIALS PURCHASED BY ELECTRO METALLURGICAL COMPANY

## FOR UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION

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Vendor	Material	Date Rec'd.	Car Number	Gross Weight (Lbs)	Pounds V205	Vendor's Inv. Value	Sample and Analysis	Preight	Hauling Cost at Uravan	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	12/39	New 120710	52,455	7,576.39	\$ 5,527.04	\$ 28.68	\$ 820.88	\$ 48.14	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	12/39	MYC 131785	39,677	10,113.29	7,281.53	23.34	635.81	36.42	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	12/39	CNSTPAP 9498	43,814	5,059.94	3,643.19	47.83	714.55	40.21	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	3/40	MILW 18201	45,528	5,944.50	4,280.40	28.70	751.44	95.41	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	4/40	DLAN 45068	51,500	6,269.17	4,513.68	36.20	818.09	57.05	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	5/40	NYC 96503	47,689	6,258.27	4,505.76	36.20	765.70	64.62	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	5/40	NYC 93149	36,474	5,366.84	3,864.24	28.70	575.05	49.43	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	7/40	SP 33315	47,989	8,214.49	5,914.43	26.80	762.29	28.04	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	9/40	LV 5994	43,917	8,194.79	5,898.96	36.23	696.88	21.19	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	10.40	MP 93418	43,193	5,930.36	4,269.86	35.7	693.26		
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	12/40	CANN 59306	45,230	15,515.89	11,171.45	36.92	784.38	-	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	12/40	30 <b>6</b> 0 3230	45,063	8,080.41	5,936.40	40.59	728.50		
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Flue Dust	1/41	PRR 123438	41,470	7,917.81	5,700.96	34.11	661.54		
Total Flue Due:		E)		584,995	100,542.15	\$ 72,507.90	\$ 440.05	\$ 9,408.37	\$ 450.51	
Phillip Bros., Inc. •	Flue Dust	0/41	<b>mo</b> 21178	47,224	-			757.70	-	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Vanndium Slag	1/40-	CANN Sh304	55,285	4,531.67	3,262.80	13.33	880.09	100.60	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Vanadium Slag	5/40	CN 51909	72,419	8,235.31	5,929.42	5.50	1,148.05	172.95	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Vanadium Slag	7/40	PM 35331	36,165	3,430.83	2,470.20	28.25	596.16	-	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Vanadium Clag	3/40	SAL 17979	33,426	2,718.19	1,957.10	6.51	523.05	47.95	
Shillip Bros., Inc.	Vanadium Slag	3/40	PRR 573057	48,672	3,957.91	2,849.69	9.49	759.81	69.83	
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Venedium Slag	10/40	MC 132725	53,285	4,637.38	3,338.91	42.47	828.63		
Phillip Bros., Inc.	Vanadium Slag	11/40	PRR 573763	42,095	5,080.49	3,657.95	33.56	681.05 B	st	
Total Vanadium	SING			341,347	32,591.78	\$ 23,466.07	\$ 139.11	\$ 5,416.84	\$ 391.33	

<sup>\*</sup> Additional car received from Phillip Bros., Inc. to fulfill deficiency of V205 in Receipts listed above.

## UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION, FLANT VR

RIFLE, COLORADO

## VANADIUM-HEARING MATERIALS PURCHASED (EXCLUDING VANADIUM ORE)

October 1, 1941, to November 11, 1944

Vendor	Purchase Order No.	Date Received	Pounds V205	Value
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-307	3/6/42	43,495.40	30,446.78
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-475	5/7/42	46,776.60	32,743.62
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-673	7/6/42	50,694.60	35,486.22
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-836	9/7/42	45,576.12	31,903.28
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-977	11/10/42	42,196.10	29,537.27
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-1135	1/9/43	52,960.00	37,072.00
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-1285	3/9/43	45,735.60	32,014.92
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-1463	5/7/43	44,631.96	31,242.37
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-1648	7/14/43	53,685.20	37,579.64
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-1908	11/4/43	55,174.77	38,622.34
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-2027	1/7/44	51,237.60	35,866.32
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-2161	3/10/44	46,277.00	32,393.90
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-2278	5/8/44	45,357.10	31,749.97
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-2436	7/10/44	52,074.20	36,451.94
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-2625	9/8/44	49,490.30	34,643.21
Anaconda Copper Mining Company	VR-2809	11/11/44	50,611.50	35,428.05

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#### 1985 - 1944 INCLUSIV

	1965	7854	1965	1986	1987	1986	1200	1940	1841	1942	1845	1944		
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Adirendad Foundries & Steel, Inc.				*					•		•	•		
Asina Standard Engineering Co.						•								
Mileghony Influm Steel Corp.		•	•	•	•		•	•	•	•	•	•		
Alliance Brass and Brance Co.									•	•	•	•		
Aller Rode Corporation														
Alley Stool and Motals Company								•	•					
American Bride Shoe Conputy					•	•					•			
American Car and Foundry Company									•					
American Cost Iron Pipe Company	•												-	
American Granesid & Chemical Co.								•						
American Locanotive Company													•	
American Smalting & Refining Co.								•						
American Steel Company											•			
Anoriem Steel Foundries														
American Treibach Chemical Horks														
American Wall & Prospecting Co.												•		
Ampeo Motal, Inc.				-								•		
Andrews Steel Company						•	•	•	•					
Apar Foundry Company														
Aress, Inc.									•					
Arereds Orrporetion												•		
Armse Steel Corporation				•	•				•			•		
Armour Research Personation										•		•		
Arnold Regineering Company						•		•						
Atlantic Femily Company		•	•					•						
Allos Poundry Congrey														
Atlas Foundry & Hacking Co.					•									
Atlas Steel Casting Company														
Ashers Trunky Conpany									•		•	•		
Amileon Hunfacturing Company								2 .	•					
Sebasti and Ellers Très Consus														
Baldwin Locenstive Works														
Series Steel Corporation														
Back-Rites Corporation														
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## LIST OF PURCHASERS OF LANDS

	1988	1954	1805	1986	1937	1206	1989	1040	1941	1942	1948	1844
Bay City Electric Steel Castings to.												
J. B. Beaird Corporation						9						
Bell Telephone Laboratories												
Selmont Smelting & Refining Works						•	•	•	•			
Bergstrom Steel Company								•				
Sethlehen Foundry & Machine Company								•				
Bethlehen Steel Company						•	•		•	•	•	
Birdsboro Steel Foundry & Machine Co.												
Blam-Knox Company					•	•	•	•	•		•	
Bowler Foundry Company												_
Brasburn Alley Steel Corporation	•		•		•		•		•	•	•	•
Buckeye Traction Ditcher Company												
Burgess-Parr Company											•	
Burnside Steel Foundry Company			•	•		•		•	•			
Cabot Shops, Inc.												
California Institute of Technology												
Calumet Steel Castings Company				•								
Cartide & Carton Chemicals Corp.												
Carpenter Steel Company												
Caterpillar Tractor Company												
Contral Iron & Steel Company												
Changion Rivet Company												
Charman Valve Hounfacturing Co.												
Chicago Hardware Foundry Company		,										
Chicago Steel Foundry Company	1											
Chrysler Corporation	-											
Cincinnati Steel Castings Company												
Claden Corporation												
Clark Equipment Company												
Coast Metale, Inc.												
Colonial Steel Division												
Columbia Steel Castings Company												
Columbia Tool Steel Company												
Combustion Engineering Co., Inc.	_			_								
Constock and Fescott		-	-									- 4
Continental Foundry & Machine Co.		•										
Continental Machine, Inc.	, ~ ,											
Continental Ore Company	11											

## LIST OF PURCHASERS OF VARADUM PRODUCTS 1955 - 1944 INCLUSIVE

	1965	1864	1985	1956	1987	1020	1989	1940	1941	1942	1945	1944
Rhagh S. Cooper												
Crucible Steel Casting Company	*											
Crucible Steel Company of America											-	
Curtiss-Wright Corporation												
Cutler-Hauser, Inc.								•				
D & H Machine Works												
Dedman Foundry & Machine Company												
Delco-Reser Division, General Hotors	Corp.											
Detroit Alloy Steel Co.												
Detroit Gray Iron Foundry Company												
Dibert, Bancroft & Ross Company												
Heary Disston & Sons									•			
Dodge Steel Company												
Dow Chemical Company												
Wilbur B. Driver Company								•	•		_	
Driver-Harris Company											•	
Duncan Foundry & Machine Works												
B. F. Drakenfeld & Company									•			•
Edgewater Steel Company												
Einer and Amend												
Electric Steel Casting Company												
Empire Ordnance Corporation												
Empire Steel Corporation												
Enterprise Engine & Foundry Co.												
Enterprise Foundry Corporation												
Erie Forge Company		•										
Fairchild Aviation, Inc.												
Pairmount Chemical Company												
Pairmount Foundry, Inc.												
Pansteel Metallurgical Company												
Farrell Cheek Steel Company												
Ferre Machine and Foundry Co.												
Firth-Sterling Steel & Carbide Co.												
Florida Machine & Foundry Co.												
Foote Mineral Company												
Ford Motor Company	*	*	•									
Forging and Casting Corporation		*	•									

# LIST OF PURCHASES OF TAXABLE PARAMETER

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	1955	1934	1986	1926	1987	1989	1989	1940	1941	1942	1965	1944	
Consral Aircraft Equipment Company													
General Alleys Company													
General Electric Company													
General Iron Norts Company													
General Metals Corporation									•				
Thes. D. Gibbs & Company													
Globe Steel Tubes Company										•			
Grand Rapids Foundry Company		4.											
Granite City Steel Company	_							•					
Great Lakes Steel Corporation								_					
Cumite Foundries Corporation Dr. Robert Cobst										_			
IF. Modes Goods										•			
Chas. Hardy, Inc.													
Harmischfoger Corporation								-					
Sartford Electric Steel Corp.					•			-					
Haymon Stellite Company													
Hi-Alley Castings Company	-		-	_		_	-						
Hinderliter Tool Company													
O. Bossel and Company													
Hoskins Manufacturing Company													
Haghes Tool Company													
A. H. Hyndman Company, Inc.													
Joshua Handy Iron Works													
Indiana Steel Products Company													
Ingersoll Steel & Disc Division													
Inland Steel Company													
Insulation Manufacturing Company													
International Hickal Company													
Isaacson Iron Works												•	
Jamestown Mallochle Iron Corp.													
Jessey Steel Company													
Jones and Longhlin Steel Corp.													
Joslyn Banafasturing & Supply Co.													

## LIST OF PURCHASEDS OF VANADUM PRODUCTS 1968 - 1944 INCLUSIVE

	1955	1954	1955	1956	1957	1950	1959	1940	1941	1942	1945	1944
Ealeer Company												
Kay-Brumer Steel Products Co.								-		-		
H. W. Kallegg Company	•					-			-			
Esystems Steel & Mire Company							-					
Eilby Steel Company				•				_	-			
Kinesid-Osburn Electric Steel Co.												
Encaville Iron Company												
Loppers Company	_	-	•						_			
Erenal Laboratories	•	•									_	
Laclade Steker Company			-									
Latrobe Electric Steel Company		•	•	-	-	-	-					
R. Levin & Sens					-							
Labonen Steel Foundry	•	•	•	•	•	-		-		75		
Loctronalt Steal Castings Company												
Letermone Company of Georgia												
Lincoln Electric Company	•			-	-	-	-		_			
Linksey Light & Chesical Conpany			•		-	•	-	-				
Link-Belt Company				•	-		-					
R. S. Locher & Schofrin Company								_				
Locanotive Finished Enterials Co.												
Les Angeles Steel Castings Company												
Labone Steel Company										-		-
-												
Inges Bros.							-					
Hellay Company									-			
Bellimon Iron Works Company			-									
P. R. Hallery Company												
Barton Stone Shovel Company	•			•	•	•	•	•	-			
Surgestto Hamforturing Company			*									
Merilles Steel Carting Company				_	_				•		*	-
Repeard Electric Steel Castings Co.		•		•	•							
Martin Machine Company									•	•		
sotal & Thermit Corporation												-
Betal Products Sumfacturing Co.										-		
Motelay Corperation									•	•		
Michigan Steel Contings Company												

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	1000	2004	1000	1000	1007	1000	1	1940	1041	1845	1945	1244
Midrale Consum												
Miller Poundry Company		•	•									
Elimento Steel Foundry Company	•	•	•	•	•		•					
Boncom Foundry & Backine Company	•											
Honroo Steel Castings Company			-	-	_	_			:			
Bracerto Cheston! Company			•	•	•	•	•	•	- 1	•	•	•
Section & State State Property									-			
BRANCE MINE MOST LABOUR.			•									
Metional Antline & Chemical Company		•		•		•		•	•			
Intional Art Brunco Borks						•						
Sational-Brie Company Sational Shiloshie & Steel Castings	•	•				•		•				
Intimal Biliothic & Steel Castings	co.		•	•	•	•		•	•	•	-	
Battered Promotes & Battering Company									_		•	
Notional Supply Company			•	•					•	•	•	
Matienal Traffie Guard Opensy										•		
Regard Palls Steel Company Flaggers Palls Steeling & Refining Co.											•	
String Greathle Steel Corners	•											-
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Ohio Steel Foundry Company											•	•
Oklahoma Steel Contings Co.												
Cliver Pers Sycipsont Conpany			•									
Canha Steel Borks						•	•					
Degrad Company		•	•	•	•	_	-					
Otla Elevator Company						•	•					
Ormald Acotylene Company								•				
Pacific Our & Foundry Company												
Pacific Metals Company												
Parkershore Mr. & Real Company .												
Police Burts Supply Company								•				
Pomeylvenia Electric Steel Castings	Co.		•			•			•			
Pooria Milesble Castings Co.							•					
Perfect Circle Company		•										
Pottibone Hallikon Corporation						-					•	•
C. E. Phillips & Company						•						

## LIST OF PURCHASERS OF VANADIUM PRODUCTS

## 1945 - FIRST 7 HONTES 149

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	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949
Acme Foundry Co.					
Actare, Inc.	200	• •			
Adirondack Pdries & Stl. Inc.	•		•		
Aetna Standard Engineering Co.			•	•	
Allegheny Ludlum Stl. Corp.	*	•		•	•
Alliance Brass & Bronze Co.			•		•
Alloy Stl. & Motals Co.			•		
Alloy Stl. Products	•				
American Brake Shoe Co.	•				
American Cast Iron Pipe Co.					
American Chain & Cable Co.		•			
American Cyanamid & Chem. Co.					•
American Elec. Metal Corp.					
American Pary. & Cotgo.					
American Optical Co.				•	
American Pipe & Stl. Corp.	•				
American Radiator & Std.					
American Wheelsbrater & Equip.					*
Ampeo Metal Inc.	•		•	•	•
Apex Poundry Co.				•	
Arcos, Inc.					
Armour Research Foundation	•				
Arnold Engineering Co.					
Artisan Metal Prod. Inc.				•	
Atlas Stl. Casting Co.			•		
-Atlas Stl. Ltd.		•			
Auburn Pdry. Co.	•		-		
Austenal Labe.					
Axelson Mfg. Co.				•	
Sabecek & Wilcox Tube Co.					
Barium Steel Corp.					
Battelle Memorial Institute	•				•
Bell Telephone Labs.		*			
Belmont Smelting & Refining Was.	•			•	
Beacon Tool Co.					
James H. Beans Piry.					•

## LIST OF PERCENSIONS OF VARIABLES PRODUCTS

	1000	1854	1844	1004	1887	1000	1000	1240	1941	1942	1945	-
Ster Tousday Company												
Storer Penalty Conpany						-						
Sterling Steel Pountry Company												
Stover Sumfacturing & Sagine Co.									_	1		
Somer Iron Secto										,		
Superior Steel & Hallochle Castings Co Sylvenia Electric Products Company	. •	•	•									
Seary & Toney												_
Paylor-Barton Iron & Steel Co.												•
Indres Turry Connec												•
Tome Electric Steel Casting Company						-	_					
Tome Steel Conputy									-			
Thompson Products, Inc.							_					
Tishen Boller Bearing Company	•	•	•			•						
Titonium Aller Benefacturing Co.									-	-		-
San Tour & Company, Inc.												
Trendwall Ingineering Company		•	•	•								-
Trifuri-Eresenen & Fishel, Inc.												
Tossen Betals & Bumfacturing Co.											•	
San Salding, Inc.			•						•			
United Engineering & Foundry Co.				•	•			•				
T. F. Greenat	•	•	•	•	•	•		•		•	•	
U. S. Pipe & Poundry Company	_	•	•									
V. S. Steel Corporation	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	
Universal-Cyclops Steel Corporation Utility Electric Steel Foundry					•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
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Valley Iron Works												
Valley Steel Costings Company			•	•	•							
Venedium-Alleys Steel Company												
Vanadium Corporation of America	•	•	•	•	•				•			
Vitro Bunnfacturing Company						•	•					
Valcan Crecible Steel Company	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

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# LIST OF PURCHASERS OF VANALUM PRODUCTS 1985 - 1944 INCLUSIVE

	1955	1934	1985	1936	1987	1938	1959	1940	1941	1942	1945	1944
Walleck Foundry Company												
J. P. Ward Foundries, Inc.												
Warmen Steel Casting Company						-						
Washburn Wire Company								-				
Washington Iron Works									-			
Weatherly Steel Castings Co.									-	-		
Wehr Steel Company									-			
West Steel Castings Company							-		-			
Welding Equipment & Supply Co.	-	_	_	_	_	-	•	-	•			-
Western Electric Company											-	-
Western Foundry Send Company				-	-	-	-	- 3				
Western Steel Casting Company								-				
Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co.			_	-	-			-				
Westlectric Castings Company	_								_			_
Weston Electrical Instrument Company									•			•
Wholand Company												
Whip-Mix Corporation									-			
Maipple & Choate Company									-			
Whitehead Metal Products Company					-		•	•				
H. A. Wilson & Company												
Wisconsin Alloys Company		_										
Alan Wood Steel Company								•				
Worth Steel Company				-								
Ionia Foundry & Machine Co.												
Youngstown Alloy Casting Corp.												
Toungatown Frances & Machine Co.								_				

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# LIST OF FUNCIASIES OF VARIABLES PRODUCTS 1955 - 1944 INCLUSIVE

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	1955	1954	1935	1936	1987	1958	1959	1940	1941	1942	1948	1944
Pitteburgh Metallurgical Company												
Pittsburgh Steel Company Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Corp.												
Plainville Casting Company												
Pittsburgh Coke & Iron Company												
Littlebelds come a rion combant												
R.C.A. Hammfacturing Company												
Bankin Manufacturing Company												-
Reichhold Chemical Company												
Reid-Avery Company											-	
Balisble Foundry Company							_					
Republic Steel Corporation	•				•		•				-	-
Regmolds Metals Company										-		
John A. Roebling's Soms Company												
Ross Hosben Foundries												
Joseph Ross												
Rotary Electric Steel Company									_	-		
Bustless Iron & Steel Corp.					•							
Seginar Mallomble Iron DivGeneral B	leters Co	ep. ·										
Scovill Manufacturing Company												
Scullin Steel Company					•		_					
Seeled Power Corporation						_						
Service Foundry, Inc.								-		-		
Sharon Steel Corporation												
Sheppard Flate & Machine Works											_	
Simonds Saw and Steel Company			_									
Sivyer Steel Casting Company												
Stagit Steel & Iron Works												
A. O. Smith Corporation									_			
Solvey Process Company								-				
Stendard Alloy Company												
Standard Brake Shoe & Foundry Co.								_	-			
Standard Foundry Company												
Stendard Oil Company of California												
Standard Stoker Company	*						_	-				
Standard Ultramarine Company												

#### LIST OF PURCHASERS OF VANADIUM PRODUCTS

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1945 - FIRST " NORTHS 149 7 Months 1945 1946 19k7 1948 1945 Bendix Avaition Corp. Berkley Machine Was. & Pdry. Co. . Cabot Shops, Inc. Calif. Inst. Technology Calif. Precision Catgs. Canadian Brake Shoe & Pdry. Co. Ltd. Canadian Car & Pdry. Co. Ltd. Carbide & Carbon Chem. Corp. Carborundum Co. Carondelet Piry. Co. CarpenterStl. Co. Central Iron & Stl. Co. Champion Rivet Co. Chapman Valve Mfg. Co. Coresic & Color Chemical Mfg. Charlotte Chemicals Lab. 8. Chemey & Son Chicago Stl. & Wire Co. Chrysler Corp. Cincinnati Milling Machine Co. Columbia Stl. Catgs. Co. Columbia Tool Sti. Co. Continental Machines, Inc. -Continental Ore Co. Cooper Alloy Pary, Co. Centrifugal Casting Co. Crucible Stl. Co. of America Curtiss-Wright Corp. D & M Machine Works Davison Chem. Corp. Dayton Malleable Iron Co. Detroit Gray Iron Pary. Co. Dibert, Bancroft & Ross Co. B. F. Drakenfeld & Co. Duraloy Co. Du Pont de Nemours & Co. Duriron Co.

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Minimaton St. Co.					
Eigewater Sti. Co. Edmas Precision Casting Corp.	4				
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Ekstrand & Thuland Inc.					
EXSTREM & ITMLETIC LINE					
Pairmount Chemical Co.					
Perro Enamel Corp.					
Firth-Sterling Sti. & Carbide Co.		-	- 0		
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Foote Mineral Co.			•		
FOOTE Mineral Co.					
Gardner-Denver Co.					
General Aircraft Equip. Co.					
General Alloys Co.		0			
General Electric Co.					
General Metals Corp.			0	*	
General Motor					
Glover Machine Works			4		
Gorham Tool Co.					
Goyne Steam Pump Co.					
Gdyne Scene Fully Co.					
C. Paul Hagenlocher					
Hamburg Plow Co.					
Manford Foundry Co.			•	•	
Harnischfeger Corp.			*	_	
Harahaw Chemical Co.				*	•
Hartford Electric Stl. Corp.		*		_	
Hayden Chemical Corp.				•	
Mayres Stellite Co. (Allied)		*		•	-
Heppenstall Co.	*			•	
Hetherington & Bernur				•	
Highland Prints Inc.					-
B. F. Hirsch, Inc.					
Hughes Tool Co.			•		
Rydrocarbon Res. Inc.			*		
Hydrocarbon Res. Inc.					

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## 1045 - PIRST 7 NOWTHS \*40

Indiana Steel Products Co. Ingersoll Stl. & Disc Div. International Wickel Co. Isaaccon Iron Wks.

Jessop Steel Co. Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.

Kaiser Co. Kay-Brunner Stl. Products Co. K. W. Kellogg Co. Kennametal Inc. Komler Co.

L'Air Liquide Society, Lake City Mallemble Co-Latrobe Elec. Stl. Co-Letenon Stl. Poundry Linde Air Products Linealn Electric Co-Lambenheimer Co-

Marcast Corp.
Marquette Mfg. Co.
Massillon Stil Catg. Co.
Mealthur Chemical Co.
Mellon Inst. of Ind. Res.
Metals Disintegrating Co.
Metal & Thermit Corp.
Michigan Spl. Catgs. Co.
Midwale Co.
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stional Bronce & Aluminum Pary. Co.					•
ational Carbon Co.					•
ational Cash Register				•	
ational Mallomble & Stl. Catgs. Co.			•	•	•
ational Supply Co.					•
orfolk & Western Railway Co.				•	
lympic Stl. Was.			•	•	
maha Stl. Was.					
regon Stl. Ptry. Co.		•		_	
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meific Metals Co.			-		
meific States Stl. Corp.	•				
meific Stl. Catgs. Co.					
ennsylvania Elec. Stl. Catgs. Co.	•	•			
. A. Quirin Machine Shop & Pdry.					•
mid-Avery Co.	•				
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mliance Regulator Corp.	•	_	_		
epublic Stl. Corp.	•	•	•	•	
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hastless Iron & Stl. Corp.		•			
t. Lewrence Alloys Inc.					
healed Power Corp.			•		-
haron Stl. Corp.	•		•	•	
happard Plate & Machine Wks.	•				
. O. Smith Corp.				•	
olar Aircraft Co.	•	:			
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Standard Brake Shoe & Pdry. Co.				-	
Standard Oil Co. New Jersey			-		
Standard Oil Development Co.					
tandard Stoker Co.				_	

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	1945	1346	1947	1948	1949
Standard Ultramarine Co.	•				
Staufer Chemical Co.					
Sterling Allays Co.		•			
Strong Stl. Pary. Co.					
Sylvania Elec. Products Co.					
San Prancisco Sulphur Co.				•	
David Taylor Co.					
Timben Rouler Bearing Co.		•			
Tri-State Piries. Inc.					
Trusell Pdry Co.					•
Unexcelled Chem. Co., Inc.					
United Engineering & Piry. Co.	•				
U. S. Aluminum Co.					
U. S. Finishing Co.					
U. S. Government	•				•
U. S. Pipe & Foundry Co.		•			
U. S. Steel Corp.	•	•			
Universal-Cyclope Steel Corp.	•	•	•		
Utility Elec. Stl. Mry.		•			
Venedium-Alloys Stl. Co.	•				
Vanadium Corp. of America				•	
Vitro Mfg. Co.	•			•	•
Vulcan Crucible Stl. Co.	•	•			
Vulcan Iron Wks. Ltd.					
Vulcas Pary. Co.		•			
Vulesc ST1. Pdry.					•
Wall Colmonoy Corp.					
Dr. Bugene Wainer			•		
Warmen Stl. Catg. Co.	•				
Washington Iron Wks.	•				
Webster Hfg. Co.					
Wehr Stl. Co.					•
Walding Equipment & Supply Co.					

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Welland Elec. Stl. Pdry.					1
West Stl. Catgs. Co.			•	•	1
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Western Alloyed Stl. Cstg. Co. Western Elec. Cstg. Co.				-	-/
Western Electric Co.					
Western Industrial Supply					
Western Stl. Catg. Co.					
Westlectric Catgs. Co.			•		•
Whitman Co. ?					
Wield Hold					
H. A. Wilson & Co.					
Vinchester Repeating Arms Co.	•				
University of Wisconsin					•
Youngstown Alloy Cstg. Corp.					
Tulcan Crucible Stl. Co.			*		

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## Tenadium Corporation of America

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#### Domestic

Customer	Material
American Cyanamid & Chem. Co.	VPent
Allegheny Steel Co.	PeV
Alloy Cast. Steel Co.	
American Arc Weldere	
American Steel Foundries	w 3
Andrews Steel Co.	*
Apex Foundry Co.	
Armeson Foundry Co.	
Bunner Iron Works	
Batavia Foundry Co.	*
Bell Telephone Lab.	
Bethlehem Steel Co.	<b>68</b>
Binney Castings Co.	
Blaw Knox Co.	
Bonney-Floyd Co.	
Braeburn Alloy Steel Corp.	
Brighton Elec. Steel Cast. Co.	*
Buffalo Fdry & Mach.Co.	
Colonial Steel Co.	
Crucible Steel Cast.Co.	
Crucible Steel Co. of America	
Detroit Alley Steel Co.	•
Henry Disston & Sons	
Duriron Co.	
Electro Alloys	*
Electrocast Steel Pdry Co.	*
Electronet Co.	AmaNVan.
Empire Steel Cast.Co.	FeV
Erie Forge Co.	и.
Falk Corp.	•
Firth Sterling Steel Co.	*
Ford Motor Co.	
Forging and Cast.Corp.	94
Fort Pitt Steel Cast.Co.	94
General blactric Co.	
General Chemical Co.	VPent.
Grasselli Chemical Co.	ie
General Steel Cast.Co.	FeV
Glover Machine Works	25
Great Lakes Steel Corp.	
Gulf States Steel Co.	
Halcomb Steel Co.	
Harshaw Chem. Co.	VPent
Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bend.	PeV .
Hartford Electric Steel Corp.	
Heppenstali Co.	
Industrial Steel Cast.Co.	
Ingersoll Steel & Disc.Co.	•
International Harvester Co.	IR.

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International Mickel Co. PaY Jessop Steel Co. **VPent** Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. FeT Kinite Corp. Erebe Pigment & Color Corp. **TPant** Latrobe Elec. Steel Co. PeV Lebanon Steel Foundry Lewis Foundry & Machine Co. . Locomotive Fin. Matl.Co. Ludlum Steel Co. Lukens Steel Co. Marion Steem Shovel Co. Maynerd Elec. Steel Cast. Co. Michiana Products Corp. Michigan Steel Cast. Co. Hidwele Co. Minneapolis Elec.Steel Cast.Co. Monroe Steel Cast.Co. Monsanto Chemical Co. VPent. National Art Bronse Works Mational Forge & Ordnance Co. . Ohio Steel Foundry Co. William M. Orr Co. Otio Steel Co. Parker Pen Co. Pittebugh Crucible Steel Co. Pitte.Steel Pdry Corp. Cuaker City Pdry Reeding Co. Reed Pdry & Mach. Co. Republic Steel Corp. Ross Mechan Foundries Simonde Saw & Steel Co. K. M. Simpeon Southern Kall. Iron Co. Standard brake Shoe & Fdry Co. Standard Steel Car Co. Stallerd Steel Morks Co. Sterling Steel Pdry Co. Symington Co. Timken Roller Bearing Co. Union Sprg.& Mfg. Co. Union Steel Cast.Co. United Eng.& Fdry Co. .. Universal Steel Co. Vanadium Alleys Steel Co. Vulcan Crucible Steel Co. Mahburn Wire Co. Wehr Steel Co. Westinghouse Elec.& Mfg.Co. West Mich. Steel Foundries Western Klec.Co. Youngstown Shoet & Tube Co.

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Dominion Foundries & Steel Ltd.

FeV.

## 1933 Domestic and Canadian Price Ranges

\$2.60 per 1b. Ctd. V 2.70 2.50 Pe VOH FeVCre

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1.05 to 1.15 per 1b. Ctd. \$205 **VPent** 

1.90 per pound

Prices the same to all customers for similar quantities, sizes on contract and spot bases. Special grinding and quality extras not indicated in above standard prices.

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## and Price Ranges

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Alley Cast Steel Co.	To Y
American Cast Iron Pipe Cc.	•
American Steel Foundries	
Andrews Steel Co.	
Arcade Mallaable Iron Co.	
Armeson Foundry Co.	
Babcock & Wilcox Co.	
Bell Telephone Lab.	
Bethlehem Steel Co.	
Sinney Castings Co.	
Sirdsboro Steel Foundry & Mach.Co.	
Bonney-Floyd Co.	
Braeburn Alloy Steel Corp.	
Brighten Electric Steel Cotg. Co.	
Buckeye Steel Catg Cc.	
Burneide Steel Foundry Co.	
A. M. Byere Cc.	
Cincinnati Milling Machine Co.	
Colonial Steel Co.	
Crucible Steel Casting Co.	
Crucible Steel Co. of America	
Damascus Steel Casting Co.	
Detroit Alley Steel Co.	
Henry Dieston & Son	
E. I. DuPont	Annual (Var)
Duriron Co.	FeV
Eastern Steel Casting Co.	•
Eastman Kodak Co.	American
Electrocast Steel Foundry Co.	FeV
Empire Steel Castings Co.	•
Erie Forge & Steel Co.	•
Falk Corp.	
Foote Mineral Co.	Amanyan
Ford Motor Co.	PeV
Forging and Casting Corp.	*
Fort Pitt Steel Casting Co.	
Foster Wheeler Corp.	•
General Chemical Co.	<b>VPent</b>
General Electric Co.	FeV
General Steel Catgs. Corp.	•

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Customer	Material	
Claver Machine Works	7.07	
Gorham Tool Co.		
Gould Coupler Co.		
Great Lakes Steel Corp.		
Gulf States Steel Co.	•	
Charles Hardy Inc.	•	
Harrisburg Pipe & Pipe Bending Co.		
Hartford bleetric Steel Corp.	•	
Harshaw Chemical Co.	VPant.	
Happenstall Co.	PaV	
Hunt Spiller Mfg. Co.	•	
Industrial Steel Casting Co.		
Ingersoll Steel & Dies Co.		
Jessop Steel Co.		
Jessop Steel Co.	VPent.	
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.	FeV	
Kinite Corp.		
Latrobe Elec. Steel Co.		
Lebanon Steel Foundry		
Lewis Foundry & Machine Co.		
Locomotive Finished Matl. Co.	•	
Ladlum Steel Co.		
Lukens Steel Co.		
Machined Steel Cotg Co.	•	
Marion Steam Shevel Co.		
Marchall Car Wheel & Foundry Co.		
Massillon Steel Catgo Co.		
Maymard Llectric Steel Untge.		
Michigan Valve & Foundry Co.		
Kidvale Co.		
Monroe Steel Cetg. Co.		
Monsanto Chemical Co.	VPent.	
National Alloy Steel Co.	PeV	
National Art grouse Works Co.	**	
National Forge & Ordnance Co.		
Mational Mall & Steel Cotg Co.		
Ohio Steel Foundry Co.		
Otis Steel Co.		
Parker Pan Co.	Annahi v ara	4.
Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Corp.	FeV	400
Reading Co. Reliance Steel Castings Co.		
Republic Steel Corp.		
Republic Steel Corp.		

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Recipto-Lay Co. Reco-Motion Fountries		Pol
Rose-Hoston Foundries		•
Statement Steel Castings Co.		•
Streets for & Steel Co.		
Southern Hallochle Irus Co.		•
Standard Brabe Rue & Pdy Co.		
Rentard Steel Marks Co.		•
Storling Stool Foundry Co.		
Symington Co.		•
Tinton Boller Bearing Co.		
Thien Steel Costing Co.		
Buited Beginsoring & Pary Co.		•
United States Steel Corp.		
University of Chicago		
Universal Steel Co.		•
Venedius-Allego Stool Co.		•
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Tuless Crucible Steel Co.		PoT
Vulcan Iron Morks		
Victor Chamical Morks		Trust
Walters Wire Co.		PoT
Webr Steel Co.		
West Michigan Steel Pary Co.		•
Mostern Electric Co.		•
Toungstown Alley Cootings Co.		•
Toungstown Shoot & Tube Co.		•

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Dominion Foundry & Steel Ltd.

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## 1934 Percette and Constian Price Pences

Povoli \$2.70 per 1b. otd. V Povoru 2.80 per 1b. otd. V Povoru 2.90 per 1b. otd. V VPunt 1.10 to 1.20 per 1b. otd. V<sub>2</sub>0<sub>5</sub> AmpNum 2.00 per 1b. Whotal 905 - 4.50 to 5.00 per 1b. Whotal 935 - 40 to .50 per gram

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Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadic Acid (Vanadium Pentoxide) & Ferro Vanadium

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## Customer

Allegheny Steel Co. Alloys Steel & Metals Co. Aluminum Company of America American Cyanamid & Chem. Co. American Smelting & Hef. Co. American Steel Fdrys. American Grade Publishing Co. Andrews Steel Co. Josiah Anstice & Co. Armold Print Mks. Atlas Powder Co. Baltimore Copper Smelting Jno. D. peinert bell Telephone Co. berg Chemical Co. Berge, J.& H. bethlehem Steel Co. Bonney Floyd Co. praeburn Alloy Steel Co. Braun Corp. brighton Elec. Steel Catg. Co. buckeye Steel Catg. Co. Buffalo Apparatus Co. purnside Steel Fdry. Co. burrell Tech. Supply Co. Carbic Color & Chem. Co. W. A. Case & Son Mfg. Co. Century Chem. Co. Cermic Color & Chem. Co. City Chem. Corp. Clark aquipment Co. Climax Molybdenum Co. Coleman & bell Co. Colonial Steel Co. Coloray Corp. Corning Glass Mrs. Crucible Steel Catg. Co. Cruciole Steel Co. of America Letroit Alloy Steel Co. Desston & Sons, Inc., Henry Driver Harris Co. E.I. DuPont de Nemours Dupont Rayon Co.

Eastman Kodak Co.

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Electrocast Steel Fdry Co.	FeV
ampire Steel Catgs. Co.	
Erie Forge Co.	
Falk Corp.	
Fansteel Prod. Co.	VNetal
Fashion Sereen Prtg.	AMERICA AND
Fisher Scientific Co.	<b>VPent</b>
Fieke Brick & Granule Co.	
Foote Mineral Co.	FeV
Ford Motor Co.	
Forgings & Castings Corp.	
Fort Pitt Steel Catg. Co.	
General Alloys Co.	
General Ceramics Co.	<b>VPent</b>
General Chemical Co.	Amail Vac
General Dyestuff Corp.	FeV
General blec. Co.	7.0
General Steel Catg. Corp.	
Glover Machine Wks.	-
Jno. Graham & Co.	AmailVan.
Grasselli Chem. Co.	VPent
Great Lakes Steel Corp.	F•V
Gulf States Steel Co.	•
Harshaw Cnes. Co.	VPent
Harrisburg Steel Corp.	FeV
Harrison Steel Catg. Co.	•
Hartford blec. Steel Co.	•
Harrisville Print & Dye Mks.	Ammil'(Van
Heppenstall Co.	PeV
s.V. Hoffstadt	VHetal
O. Hommel Co.	<b>VPent</b>
Howe & French, Inc.	Amen's Amen's
Hudson Fur Dyeing, Inc.	
Industrial Steel Catg. Co.	FeV
Ingersoll Steel & Disc. Co.	•
Interborough Chem. Co.	Amm NVan
Jessop Steel Co.	FeV
Jessop Steel Co.	<b>VPent</b>
Johnson Co., Adolph	FeV
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.	
Kerr Co., Frank W.	Amail: 000
Kinite Corp.	FeV
Landers Frany & Clark	Amaillean
Latrobe klee, Steel Co.	PoV
Lebanon Steel Pdry.	
Lennig & Co., Inc., Chas.	Amadel an
Leyes, C.J.	VPent.
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Locomotive Fin. Nat. Co.	FeV
Ludlum Steel Co.	
Lukens Steel Co.	
Machined Steel Casting Co.	
Mackintosh Hemphill Co.	
Mallory & Co., P.R.	VPent
Karion Steam Shovel Co.	FeV
Massillon Steel Catgs. Co.	
Maymard slec, Steel Catg. Co.	
Hckay, A. D.	<b>VMetal</b>
Merts Co., L. Carlton	VPent
Michigan State College	FeV
Michiana Proqueta Corp.	
Midvale Co.	
Holybdenum Corp. of America	Vrent
Monroe Steel Catgs. Co.	FeV
Nat. Analine & Chem. Co.	V Pent
Nat. Art dronse Co.	PeV
Nat. Dyeing & Printing Co.	Armit/Van
	, FeV
Nat. Woll. & Steel Castg. Co.	
New Jersey Zinc Co.	VHetal
Ohio Steel Fdry Co.	FeV
Palb Neyers, Inc.	<b>VPent</b>
Parker Pen Co.	AmMVan
Penn. Coal Products Co.	<b>VPent</b>
Perennial Dye & Print Mks	Ammill on
Pettibone Mulliken Co.	FeV
Pitts.Plate Glass Co.	VPunt -
Pitts.Steel Pdry. Corp.	PeV
Pond Lily Corp.	Ammit Van
Pratt & Letchworth	FeV
Queen Dyeing Co.	American .
Remapo Finishing Corp.	Amail(Van
Reliable Ink & Stationery Co.	~ Wan
Heliable Paste & Ink Co.	AmpiNan
Reliance Steel Catgs.Co.	F.V
Mepublic Steel Corp.	•
Roeblings Sons Co., John A.	
Ross Meeham Fdries	•
St. Francis College	<b>VPant</b>
Sargent Co., S.H.	•
Schaar Co.	Ample an
Schade Paper Laboratory	•
Scientific Glass Apparatus Co.	•
	VPent

#### Domestic

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#### Customer

Shepherd Chemical Co. Simonds Saw & Steel Co. Sirtex Printing Co. Smith Corp., A.O. Solvay Process Co. Southern Malleable Iron Co. Special Chemical Corp. Std. Steel Works Co. Sterling Steel Catg Co. Sterling Steel Fdry. Co. Stifel 4 Son, J.L. Stone, Chas. H. Stoody Co. Symington Co. Timken Holler Hearing Co. Tubise Chatillon Corp. Una Welding, Inc. Union Oil Co. of Calif. Union Steel Catga Co. United ang. & Fdry Co. U.S. Steel Corp. Univ. of Pitts. Universal Steel Co. Vanadium Alloy Steel Go. Victor Chem. Horks Vulcan Crucible Steel Co. Waldrick Co. Malker & Co., Inc., G.T. Wallwork Fdry. Co. Warmer Chem. Co. Machburn Wire Co. Mestinghouse Air prake Co. West Mich.Steel Fdry Co. Mestvaco Chlorine Prod. Co. Will Corp. Wollen Chem. & Supply Co. dorth Steel Co. Worthington Pump & Machy Co. Dominion Faries & Steel, Ltd.

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1935 Demostic and Canadian Price Ranges

Pe. VOK Pe. V Cru. \$2.70 per Lb. Ctd. V 2.80 2.90 . Pe. V Pri. 1.10 per 1b.Ctd V205 to 1.35 per 1b Matl 1.90 to 2.25 per pound 4.50 to 5.00 " " .40 to .45 " gram V. Pent. Am. M. Van.

V. Netal 90%

Prices the same to all customers for similar quantities, sises - on contract and spot basis. Special grinding and quality extras not indicated in above standard prices.

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CUSTOMER	MATERIAL
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Alan Wood Steel Co.	Fo V
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Am. Art Textile Prtg. Corp.	Ama Van
As. Cer & Fary. Co.	Fo V
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An. Locomotive Co.	Fe V
Am. Hanganese Steel Co.	F• ▼
Steel Faries.	Fo V
Andrews Steel Co.	Fe V
Apex Fdry. Co.	Fe V
Arnola Print . orks	Ann Van
Atlas Fdry. Co.	Fe V
Atlas Steel Catg. Co.	Fo V
Bebcock & Wilcox Co.	Fe V
Bakuliuch, N. A.	Van P
Beck, Koller & Co.	Van P
Bell Telsphone Lab.	Fe B
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Bethlehen Steel Co.	Fe V
Birdsboro Steel Fdry. & Hach. C	o. Fe V
Blav Knox Co.	Ven Hetal
Boericke & Runyan	Van Hetal
Bonney Floyd Co.	Fe V
Brackurn Alloy Steel Co.	Fe V
Breun Corp.	Amm Van
Brighton Elec. Steel Catg. Co.	Fo V
Burnside Steel Fdry. Co.	Fo V
Calumet Steel Catgo. Corp.	r∙ v
Carole Color & Chem. Co.	Ama Van
Cerondelet Fdry. Co.	r∙ v
Central Scientific Co.	Sod Van
Centr 1 Iron Fdry. Co.	7• T
Chempion Spare Plug Co.	Van P
Chicago Steel & Vire	Fo V
Clera Equipment Co.	Fo V
Climax Holybdonus Corp.	Fo T

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Colonial Steel Co. Consolidated Drystuff Corp. Continental Roll & Steel Fdry. Co. Crucible Steel Casting Co. Lansdovne, Pa. Crucible Steel Co. of America Total - all companies Delco-Reny Div. of Gen. Motors Detroit Alloy Steel Co. Detroit Elec. Furnace Co. Detroit Gray Iron Edry. Co. Detroit Steel Cesting Co. Dibert, Bencroft & Ross Co. Disston & Sons, Inc., Henry Dodge Steel Co. Drakenfeld & Co., B. F. DuPont de Nemours & Co., E. I.

Eastman Kodak Co.
Electric Steel Castings Co.
Electrocast Steel Fdry. Co.
Expire Steel Castings Co.
Erie Forge Co.
Etns Machine Co.
Falk Corp.
Farrell Cheek Steel Fdry. Co.
Fashion Screen Frint. Co.
Faurot Prot. & Ident. System
Fisher Scientific Co.
Foote Minerel Co.

Forging & Catg. Corp. Fostorio Glass Co. Foto Shop, The Frank Foundries Co. Fuxe, F. General Chemical Co.

General Dyestuff Corp.
General electric Co.
General Plate Co.
General Steel Casting Corp.
Glealyon Print Works
Gorham Tool Co.
Gread Rapids Varn. Corp.
Granie & Dyer
Grant Bros. Fdry.
urest Laxes Steel Corp.
Gulf States Steel Corp.
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Gunite Foundries Corp. Harpton Co. Harrisburg Steel Corp. Harrisen Steel Cstgs. Co. Harshew Chemical Co.

Hartford Elect. Steel Corp. Heppenstill Co. Hoffstedt, E. V. Hommel Co., O.

Husson Fur Dywing, Inc. Industrial Steel Catg. Co. Ingersoll Steel & Disc Div. -Borg Varner Corp. Interborough Chem. Co. International Hervester Co. Jessop Steel Co.

Johns Hopkins Univ.

Johnson Co., Adolph Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. Eahl Iron Fdry., Fred. E nses City Lab. Sup. Co. Kellogg & Co., M.V.

Keckuk Steel Cetgs. Co. Kerr Co., Frank V.

Kilby Car & Fdry. Co. Kinite Corp. Latoratory Materials Co. Letrobe Elec. Steel Co. Lebenon Steel Fdry. Co. Leaigh Foundries, Inc. Lencis & Co., Inc. Chas. Lin Locomotive Works Locustive Fin. Mat'l Co. Lo-enstein & Sons, J. H. Luilum Steel Co. Lucens Steel Co. Machined Steel Catg. Co. Malleable Iron Fittings Co. Halloy & Co., P. R. Menhetten Print .orks Herion Steam Shovel Co. Mason Color & Ches. Co. Mass. Inst. of Tech. Massillos Steel Catgs. Co. Haynerd blos. Steel Cotg. Co. HeKay, A. D. Hifford Chamical Co.

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Michigan Bumper Corp. Michigan Steel Catg. Co.

Michiana Products Corp.
Midwale Co.
Millard Heath Co.
Monroe Steel Catgs. Co.
Motor & Mach. Cetgs. Co.
Mat'l Analins & Chem. Co.
Mat'l Forge & Ordnance Co.
Mat'l Supply Co. of Calif.
B. J. Lab. Sup. Co.

Morfolk & Western Ry. Co. Ohio Steel Fdry. Co. Oligart, Joseph Omaha Steel Works Osgood Co., The Charles Parker Pen Co. Parish & Thompson, Inc. Pettibone Milliken Co. Polytechnic Inst. of Balyn. Proximity Mfg. Co. Reliable Ink & Stat. Co. Reliance Steel Cetgs. Co. Republic Steel Corp. Robers Laboratories Ross Neshen Edries. Saint Francis College Sargent Co., E. H.

Sawbrook Steel Cestings Schear & Co. Schering & Co. Shell Development Co. Shervin-Williams Co.

Simonds Saw & Steel Co. Siryer Steel Catg. Co. Sirtex Printing Co. Saith Corp., A.O. Sorbo-Nat Process Eng. Special Chemicals Corp. Standard Braze Shoe & Fdry. Co. Standard Steel Casting Co. Standard Steel & Wire Co.

Standard Steel Vorgs Co. Sterling Chine Co. Sterling Steel Cstg. Co. Sterling Steel Fdry. Co. Sterling Steel Fdry. Co. Stifel & Son, J. L. Stoony & Co.

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Superior Fary. Co.	70 7
Texas Chemical	Ann Van
Textor Chemic .1 Lab.	Van P
Thomas Co., Arthur H.	Amm Van
Tiaken Roller Bearing Co.	7. 7
Toledo Cemera Shop	ATE Van
Uncas Finishing Co.	ámn Van
Union Oil Co. of Calif.	Am Van
Union Spring & Hfg. Co.	Fo V
United Eng. & Fdry. Co.	70 V
United States Steel Corp Total	Po V
Universal Cyclops Steel Corp.	Fo Y
University of Pennsylvania	So Van
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Valley Moulu & Iron Corp.	Fo V
Vanadius Alloys Steel Co.	Fe V
Van Vo-st, Albert B.	Ame Van
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Verona Chemical Co.	Van P
Victor Chemical Co.	Van P
Vulcan Crucible Steel Co.	Fo V
walker & Co., Geo. T.	V Hotal
sallwork Fdry. Co.	Fo V
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Washburn Wire Co.	F● V
Warwick Chin & Co.	Ame Ven
West Alchigan Steel Fdry. Co.	F• ▼
West Steel Catg. Co.	Po V
western Aec. Co.	Van P
Lestinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co.	Te V
Wilson Welder & Metals Co.	Fe V
worth Steel Co.	Fo V
Zimmerman Steel Co.	Fe V

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Dominion Foundries & Steel,	Ltd.	Fo T

	1936 DOMESTIC AND	CANADIAN PRICE RANGES			
Fe VOH	\$2.70 per 1b Ctd V	Ammo Van \$1.	90 to	\$2.20 per	pound
Fo V Cru	2.80 per 1b Ctd V	V Met. 90% 4.	10 to	4.50 "	
Fe V Pri	2.90 per 1b Ctd V	V Met. 95% .	40 to	.45 per	gren.
V Pent	1.10 per 1b Ctd V205 to	V Pent CP 15.	00 pe	r pound	
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## VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadic Acid (Vanadium Pentoxide), Ferro Vanadium and Price Ranges

YEAR - 1937

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#### CUSTONER

A. C. Sparz Flug Division - G. M. C. Adme Foundry Co.
Addrondack Foundries & Steel, Inc.
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Alan Wood Steel Co.
Allogheny Steel Co.
Alloy Cast Steel Co.
Alloy Steel & Netals Co.
Althouse Chemical Co.
American Art Textile Frinting Co.
American Cymnamid and Chemical Co.

Aserican Locomotive works
American Steel Foundries Co.
Apex Foundry Co.
Arnold Print Works
Atlantic Foundry Co.
Atlas Steel Casting Co.
Auto Specialties Mfg. Co.
Bebcock and Wilcox Co.
Berrett Co.
Beck, Koller and Co., Inc.
Bell Telephone Laboratories
Beltrano, Inc., F. J.
Bethlehem Steel Co.

Bettendorf Co. Birdsboro Steel Foundry & Mach. Co. Blue Valley Foundry Co. Boericie & Runyon Bonney Floyd Co. Borden & Remington Co. Boyer, W. T.

Braeburn Alloy Steel Corp.
Braun-Gnecht-Heimann Co.
Brewer & Co.
Burnside Steel Foundry Co.
Calco Chemical Co.
Calumet Steel Casting Co.
Capital Peint & Varnish Co.
Carbic Color & Chemical Co.

Carus Chemical Co. Central Iron Foundry Co.

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#### Contral Scientific Co.

Chain Belt Co.
Chiesgo Malleable Castings Co.
Ciba Co.
City Chemical Co.
Clark Equipment Co.
Cloreland Graphite Bronze Co.
Climax Molybdomm Corp.
Coast Metals & Reduction Co.
Cold Springs Bleachery
Colonial Steel Co.
Caloray Corp.
Columbia University

Continental Roll & Steel Pdry. Co.
Corbart Refractories Co.
Cranston Print Vorks
Crobelt, Inc.
Crucible Steel Casting Co.
Crucible Steel Co. of America
Daigger & Co., A.
Deener Steel Casting Co.
Dennis Co., Martia
Petroit Alloy Steel Co.
Disert, Bancroft & Ross Co.
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Diseton & Sons, Inc., Henry
Drakenfeld & Co., D. F.

duPont dellemours & Co., E. I.

Eastman Kodak Co. Eaton Detroit-Metal Co.

Thrhart & Karl Co.
Electric Steel Casting Co.
Electrocast Steel Foundry Co.
Empire Steel Casting Co.
Eric Forge Co.
Etna Machine Co.
Falt Corp.
Faurot Protective & Identification Sys.
Ferrolegeringer
Foote Mineral Co.

Forging & Casting Corp. Francis & Hygren Foundry Co. Frank Foundries Corp. Gangwer & Co., I. D. General Chemical Co.

## MATERIAL Van Pont

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General Byestuff Corp. General Electric Co. General Heters Co. General Steel Costing Corp. Geeing Chemical Co. Glonlyon Print Vorke Goodrich Co., S. F. Gorham Tool Co. Great Bree. Foundry Co. Great Lakes Steel Corp. Greiner Co., Otto R. Hamilton Foundry & Moch. Co. Hrapton Co. Herrieburg Steel Corp. Harrison Steel Casting Co. Hershaw Chemical Co. Hert Bros. Machine Co. Hertford fleetrie Steel Corp. Herverd University

Heinecze, Dr. wm. Heppenstall Co. Hercules Powder Co.

Heyden Chemical Corp.
High Speed Steel Alleys, Ltd.
Hoofstadt, E. Y.
Hoomsel Co., O.
dolland Amaline Dye Co.
Hudson Fur Dyeing, Inc.
Huisking Co., Ches. L.
Humble Oil & Refining Co.
Huneperger, Dr. F.
Hyuro Eng. & Chemical Co.

Ingersoll Steel & Dies Div. Jessep Steel Co. Johns Hopkins University Johnson & Co., Chee. E. Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. Kehl Iron Co., Frederick K. C. Laboratory Supply Co. Kerr Co., Frank V. Lacker, J. A. Lake Erie Foundry Co. Larrison, T. Latrobe Meetric Steel Co. Lebenon Steel Foundry Co. Lenigh Foundries, Inc. Lennig & Co., Chas. Levey Co., Inc., Fred H. Levis Chemical Co. Loconotive Finished Materials Co. Los Angeles Chesical Co. Lovensteia & Sons, J. H.

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#### COSTONER

#### Ludlum Steel Co.

Lukens Steel Co. Lukenheimer Co. Nachined Steel Casting Co. Mackny A. D. Madlson k. R. Mallory & Co.

Mann & Co., Inc., Geo.
Marion Stean Shovel Co.
Massilion Steel Casting Co.
Massard Elec. Steel Casting Co.
Metal & Thermit Corp.
Michiann Froducts Corp.
Michiann Steel Casting Go.
Midwale Co.
Miller, C. Franklin

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Pittsburgh Steel Foundry Corp. Polytech Inst. of Brooklys Pend Lyly Co. Pylas Products Co. Replia Copy Service Co. Reliable Inz & Stationery Co. Reliance Steel Castings Co Republic Steel Corp. Riley Stoks: Corp.

Robertshaw Thermostat Co.

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Nomer Drug Co. Ross Neehan Foundry Runford Chemical Works

Saginav Malleable Iron Sargent Co., E. H.

Savbrook Steel Castings Schenectady Hyg. Lab. Scientific Glass App. Co. Sixona Sav & Steel Co. Sirtex Printing Co. Sivyer Steel Casting Co. Saith Corp., A. O. Saith Steel Foundry Co. Saith, balden A. Serbe-Mat Process Eng. Sperlan Products Co. Standard Broke Shoe & Fdry. Co. Standard Elec. Steel Casting Co. Standard Oll Development Co. Standard Steel Works Co. Sterling Steel Cesting Co. Sterling Steel Foundry Co. Superior Steel & Mall. Catgs. Co. Szebo & Beer Tanning Process Co. Terre Haute Mall. & Mfg. Co. Texas Chemical Co. Textile Chemical Co. Thomas Co., Arthur H. Tisken Rolling Bearing Co. Toye & Co., Jos. Treadwell Eng. Co. Trenton Potteries Co. Turner & Co., Jos.

Union Steel Casting Co.
Unitest Corp.
U. S. Hetal Refining Co.
U. S. Steel Corp.
Universal-Cyclope Steel Corp.
University of Illinois
University of Minnesota
Valley Drug & Chemical Co.
Vale dium Alloye Steel Co.
Var-Lec-Oid Chemical Co.
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Victor Chemical Works

- Vitro Manufacturing Co.
- Vulcan Crucible Steel Co.
- Vulcan Iron Wooks
- Valdrich Co.
- Valker & Co., Geo. T.

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#### CUSTOHER

Nashburn Wire Co. Webr Steel Co. West Nichigan Steel Casting Co. West Steel Casting Westinghouse Elec. & Hfg. Co. Whipple & Cheete Co. Wirt Co. Toungstown Foundry & Mach. Co. Toungstown Sheet & Tube Co.

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### 1937 DOMESTIC AND CANADIAN PRICE RANGES

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# VARADIUM CORPOBATION OF AMERICA

# Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadium Acid (Vanadium Pentoxide) and Ferro Vanadium

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A.C. Spark Plug Div. Gen. Notors Abrasive Dressing Tool Co. Asso Foundry Co. Adirondack Foundries Steel, Inc. Alan Wood Steel Co. Allegheny Ludium Steel Corp. American Art Textile Printing Co. American Brake Shee & Fdry. Co. American Car & Fdry. Co. American Chain & Cable Co. American Cyanamid & Chemical Co.

American Locomotive Co. American Smelting & Refining Co. American Steel Foundries Ann Arbor Fdry. Co. Arnold Print Works Atlantic Pdry. Co.

Babcock & Wilcox Co. bell Telephone Laboratories Bus Chemical Co. Burner & Co. A.V. Bethlehem Steel Co. Bonney Floyd Co. Braeburn Alloy Steel Co. Braun Corp. Braun-Knuht-Horsenn Co. bremer & Co. Burnside Steel Fdry. Co. Calco Chemical Co. Calumet Steel Castings Corp. Campbell Wyant & Cannon Pdry. Co. Carbic Color & Chemical Co. Carus Chemical Co. Contral Iron Fdry. Co. Central Scientific Co. Ceramic Color Chem. Mfg. Co. Chapman Valve Mfg. Co. Chicago Walleuble Catgs. Co. Cith Chemical Co. Clark Equipment Co.

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Climax Folybdomm Cele Co. R Cold Spring Bleaching Colonial Steel Div. Columbia University Consolidated Chemical Industrial

Consolidated Dyestaff Corp.
Continental Roll, Steel Fdry.
Cranston Print Works
Crobelt Inc.
Crucible Steel Castg. Co.(Pa.)
Crucible Steel Castg. Co.(Hilw.)
Crucible Steel Co. of America

Daigger & Co. A.

Damascus Steel Cetg. Co. Damer Steel Cetg. Co. Dennis Co., Martin

Denver Fire Clay Co. Detroit Alloy Steel Co. Detroit Steel Catg. Co. Disston & Sons Inc., Henry Drahenfeld & Co. B. F.

# E. I. DuPont de Nemcers Co.

E. A. Laboratories
Eberhach & Son Co.
Electric Steel Catgs. Co.
Elmira Foundry Co.
Krie Forge Co.
Etna Machine Co.

Falk Corporation Ferro Mach. & Fdry. Co. Forping & Catg. Corp. Fort Pitt Stell Catgs. Co. Frances & Mygren Fdry. Co.

General Chemical Co.

General Dyestaff Corp. General Electric Co. General Ectors Research General Steel Cotgs. Co. Gosing Chemical Co. Gloniyan Print Works

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Cleve	- Steel	Co.	
	Tool		
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Grant	Lakes	Steel	Corn.

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Hackett Brass Pdry. Hampton Color & Chem. Co. Hampton Co. Hanchett Mfg. Co. Hansell Kleock Co. Hardy Inc. Chas. Harehaw Chemical Co. Hartford Elec. Steel Corp. Hoppenstall Co. Hercules Powder Co. Hobart Mfg. Co. Hoopstadt E. V. Hommel Co. O. Hughes Tool Co. Sydre Eng. & Chem. Co. Industrial Castings Co. Incersoll Steel & Disc International Harvester Co. International Nickel Co.

Jessop Steel Co. Jones & Loughlin Steel Curp.

Rincaid-Osburn Rice, Steel Co.
Rahl Iron Co.
Rensas City Lab. Supply
Rentington Steel Co.
Reopuk Steel Catg. Co.
Rilly Car & Fdry. Co.
Letrobe Filec, Steel Co.
Lebonon Steel Fdry. Co.
Lehigh Fountries
Lennig & Co., Chas.
Levey & Co. Fred'k.

Lindsay Light & Chem. Co. Locomotive Fin. Nat'l Co. Lowenstein & Sons, T.H Lukens Steel Co.

Machined Steel Catgs. Co. A. D. Mackay Nackintosh-Hemphill Eallory & Co., P. R. Marion Stean Showel Co. PATERIAL POT POT POT POT POT

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#### Domestic

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MATERIAL

#### CUSTOWN

Mass, Inst. of Tech.

Maynard Elec. Steel Catgs. Co.

Michina Products Corp.

Michina Steel Castings

Midule Co.

Miller C. Frank

Milwakee Steel Fdry. Co.

Molybdenum Corp. of America

Monroe Steel Castings Co.

Munning & Kunning, Inc.

Maskagon Fiston Ring Co.

Hational Analine & Chem. Go.
Hational Dysing & Printing Co.
Hational Forge & Ordnance Co.
Hational Sall & Steel Castings
Hational Supply Co. of Del.
Hom Jersey Zinc Co.
Hobilium Products
Ohio Steel Fdry, Co.

Pacific Mille Paniplus Co. Parke Davis & Co. Parker Pen Co. Pa. Llec. Steel Catg. Co. Perkins Euchine & Gear Co. Permutit Co. Phillips & Co. C. E. Phillips Dental Lab. Pittsiurgh Firy, & Machine Pittsourgh Plate Glass Co. Polluck, Alex W Pond Lily Co. Porcelain branel & Mfg. Prescett & Co. Puriue University

Redwig Potteries, Inc. Reilly Tar & Chemical Co. Reliance Steel Castings Co. Republic Steel Corp. Research Products Co.

Riley Stoker Corp. Botinson-Renebottom Bottery Recent Drug Co.

Ross Boshan Foundries Rotary Alectric Steel Co. V Post CP PoV AssetVan PoV PoV V. Post PoV V. Post PoV V Pont

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# Year - 1938

#### COSTONE

# Rouse & Shearer Inc. Rustless Iron & Steel Corp.

Saginaw Mall. Iron Div. G.M.C. Sandell H. K. Sargent Co. E. H. Sambrook Steel Castings Co. Seldner & Enequist, Inc. Simonds Saw & Steel Co. Sixtex Printing Co. Smith Corp. A. O. Smith Steel Foundry Co. Solvay Process Co. Standard Elec. Steel Cetg. Standard Oil Development Standard Steel Works Co. Stauffer Chemical Co. Sterling Steel Castings Co. Sterling Steel Fdry. Co. Stefel & Sons J. L. L. E. Stone Stoody Co. Sulmet Alloye Co. Swedish Crucible Co. Taylor Wharton Iron & Steel Textile Chemical Co. Timken Roller Bearing Co. Titanium Alloy Mfg. Co. Tolick Jr. Toye Co. Joseph Treadvill Eng. Co. Turco Products Inc. Turner Co. - Joseph

Union Spring & Mfg. Co. Union Steal Castings Co. Uniteast Corp. U. S. Steal Corp. Universal-Cyclope Steel Co. University of Florida University of Illinois

Volles Paint & Chemical Valley Steel Casting Co. Vanadium Alloys Steel Co. Var-Lar Ord. Chemical Co. Velsical Corp. Vistor Chemical Co. Vitro Mfg. Co. V Post For

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Vulcan Alley Corp.	V Metal
Vulcan Grucible Steel Co.	PoT .
Vulcan Iron Works	707
Weldrich Co.	AnnielVan
Walker & Co., Goo. T.	SodVan
Walters Brass Pdry.	V Pont
Washburn Fire Co.	7-7
Wehr Steel Co.	PoT
Welch Mfg. Co.	SodVan
West Michigan Steel Fdry.	<b>ToT</b>
West Steel Casting	PoV
Westinghouse Elee, & Mfg. Co.	TeV.
Wheeling Tile Co.	Ammil*on
Whipple & Cheats Co.	PeV
Wilcon Welder Metals	PeV
Worthington Pump Mach. Co.	PoV
Yale & Towne Mfg. Co.	7eV
Youngstown Fdry, & Machine	FeV
Tonnestown Shoot & Tube Co.	FeV
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Canadian Brake Shoe & Pdry. Co.	PoV
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Dominion Foundries & Steel Ltd.

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# 1936 Demotic and Canadian Price Banges

Pof CH - \$2.70 to .2.60 per 1b. etd. Y V Pent CP - \$7.00 per 1b. Amilian CP - \$7.00 per 1b.

Prices the same to all customers for similar quantities, sizes, on contract and spot bases. Special grinding and quality extres are not indicated in shore standard prices.

# VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

# Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadic Acid (Vanadium Pentoxide) & Ferre Vanadium

# and Price Ranges

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Year - 1939

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Acmo Foundry Co.	To T
Adirondack Foundries & Steel	•
Advance Foundries Co.	•
Aborn Textile Print	AnnieTen
Alan Wood Steel Co	Po V
Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corp.	
Alley Steel & Metal Company Inc.	Y Pent
American Art Textile Prig. Co.	AwaYan
American Brake Shoe & Fdry Co.	Ze V
American Car & Foundry Co.	
American Cast Iron Pipe Co.	•
American Cyanamid & Chem. Co.	V Pent
American Fdry. Equipment Co.	Po Y
American Locomotive Co.	•
American Steel Castings	•
American Steel Foundries	•
Apex Foundry Company	:
Arcieri Co. Eugenio	V Pent
America Comp	V Metal Po V
Arerods Corp. Arnold Print Works	AnnieTen
Auto Specialty Mfg. Co.	Po V
Babcock & Wilcox Co.	
Barrett Co.	V Pent
Bell Telephone Lab.	Po V
Belle City Malleable Iron Co.	
Belmont Smelting & Refining Co.	V Metal
Borg Chemical Company	Armit/Van
Bethlehem Steel Company	7.0
Bond Mfg. Corp. Inc.	Sed O Van
Brancy - Floyd Co.	7. V
Braceurn Alloy Steel Co.	V Metal
Brassert & Co., H. A. Brower & Co. Inc.	Amelifen
Burneide Steel Foundry Co.	7. 7
Burrell Technical Supply Co.	V Pont
Calco Chemical Co. Inc.	•
Calumot Steel Castings Corp.	To Y
Carbie Color & Chamical Co.	Annil Ten
Carborundum Co.	V Pent
Carus Chemical Co.	•
Central Iron Foundry Co.	7. T
Century Electric Company	:
Charman Valve Mfg. Co.	
City Chemical Co.	Y Post
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#### CUSTOMER

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City Chemical Co.

Clark Equipment Co.
Cold Spring Bleachery
Cole Co., H.
Colonial Steel Div.
Columbia University
Continental Roll & Steel Pdry
Corning Glass Works
Crane Co.
Crobalt Inc.
Crucible Steel Casting Co.
Crucible Steel Co. of America
Detroit Alley Steel Co.
Detroit Steel Casting Co.
Dissten & Sons, Inc. Henry
Doe & Ingalls Inc.
Drakenfield & Co. Inc. B. F.

DuPont de Nemoure & Co. Inc. Duraley Company B. A. Laboratories Inc. Eastman Kodak Co.

Edgewater Steel Co.
Einer & Amend
Electric Steel Casting Co.
Enequiet Chemical Co. Inc.
Eric Forge Co.
Etna Machine Co.
Fairmount Chemical Co. Inc.
Falk Corp.
Faurot Protective & Indem.
Ferro Enamel Corp.
Foote Mineral Co.

Ford Motor Co.

Forging & Casting
Fort Pitt Steel Casting Co.
General Chemical Co.
General Electric Co.
General Steel Casting Corp.
General Steel Casting Corp.
Glovar Machine Co.
Gould Coupler Corp.
Grant Lakes Steel Corp.
Grant Lakes Steel Corp.
Grainer Co., Mail
Mansten Co.
Mansell Elecek Co.
Mardy, Inc., Charles
Marrison Steel Castings
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#### CUSTOCER

Hartford Electric Steel Corp. Heppenstall Co. Hercules Powder Co. Herstein Laboratories Inc. Hobart Mfg. Co. Hommel Co., O. Hudson Pur Drying Inc. Hughes Tool Co. Hydro Engineering & Chem. Co. Standard Oil Co. of Louisiana Imperial Type Metal Co. Ingersoll Steel & Disc. Div. Inland Steel Co. Int'l Harvester Co. Inc. Juckson & Church Co. Jessop Steel Co. Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp. Kahl Iron Co., Fred'k Kensington Steel Co. Keokuk Steel Castings Co. Knoxville Iron Co. Latrobe electric Steel Co. Lebanon Steel Foundry Lectromelt Steel Casting Co. Lennig & Co. Inc. Charles Lewis Chemical Co. Lewiston Fdry. & Machine Co. Lindsay Light & Chemical Co. Locomotive Finished Material Co. Los Angeles Chemical Co. Lowenstein & Sons Inc., J. H. Lukens Steel Co. Machine Steel Casting Co. Mackintosh Hemphill Mallory & Co. Inc. P. R. Marion Steam Shovel Co. Mason Color & Chemical Wks. Massachusetts Inst. of Tech. Massillon Steel Casting Co. Maynard Electric Steel Casting McArthur Chemical Co. Ltd. McGean Chemical Co. Mesta Machine Co. Metals Disintegrating Co. Michigan Steel Casting Co. Midvale Co. Mille, C. Franklin Milwaukee Steel Pdry Co. Monroe Steel Castings Morton Pottery Co. Motor & Eachinery Castings Bunning & Bunning Inc.

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#### CUSTOM

Setimal Antline Chemical Co.

Setimal Perge & Granance
Setimal Helicable Steel
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Hebilium Prod. Inc.
Ohio Steel Foundry Co.
Oklahema Steel Castings
Padem City Pettery Co.
Parker Pen Co.
Penn. Sice. Steel Casting Co.
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Penn State Callege
Permutit Co.
Pfeyor & Co. Chas.
Phillips Dental Laboratory
Phillips Petroleum Co.
Pithbn, Inc. Lucius
Pittaburg Balls Div.
Pratt & Letchmorth Co.
Pranimity Mfg. Co.
Bare Notals Products

Reichhold Chem, Inc.
Reliable Ink & Stationery Co.
Reliance Regular Corp.
Reliance Steel Cast. Co.
Republic Steel Corp.
Robinson-Ransbottom
Ross-Michan Foundries
Rotary Electric Steel Co.
Roupe & Shearer, Inc.
Saginam Mallable Iron Div.
Saliabury Laboratories

Sargent Co. E. H.
Sawbrook Steel Casting
Sci-ntific Glass Apparatus
Scurlock, L. H.
Simonds Saw & Steel Co.
Sirtex Printing Co.
Sloss-Sheffield Steel & Iron Co.
Smith Steel Pdry. Co.
Smith Steel Pdry. Co.
Standard Elec. Steel Cast. Co.
Standard Cil Co. of Calif.
Standard Steel Works Co.
Standard Ultramarine Co.
Standard Ultramarine Co.
Stifel & lens, Inc. J. L.
Stuart Foundry Co.
Elmst Alloys Co. Inc.
Superior Steel & Malleable Cast. Co.
Symington-Gould Corp.
Terre Haute Mall. & Mfg. Corp.
Timken Roller Bearing Co.
Titanium Alloy Mfg. Co.
Toledo Porcelain Ensmel Pred.

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Treadwell Engineering Co.	Pay
Union Spring & Mfg. Co.	
Union Steel Casting	
Uniteast Corp.	PoT
U. S. Fingerprint Prod. Inc.	
U. S. Foundries, Inc.	7eV
U. S. Steel Corp.	•
Universal-Cyclops Steel Corp.	
	V Pont.
University of Florida	Amelivan
University of Illinois	V Pent
Valley Paint & Chem. Co.	Archivan
Valley Steel Cast. Co.	PeT
Varadium Alloys Steel Co.	
Van. Allen Co. L. 3.	V Pont
Var-Lac-Oil Chem. Co.	
Verona Chemical Co.	•
Vitro Mfg. Co.	
Vulcan Crucible Steel Co.	PeV
Yulcan Iron Works	•
Waldrich Co.	Annd/Yes
Washburn Wire Co.	<b>FeV</b>
Watt Pottery Co.	7 Pent
Wehr Steel Co.	PeT
Weldrods Corp.	
Mest Mich. Steel Pdry. West Steel Cast. Co.	•
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Williams College	Assistan
Wilson Welder & Metals Co.	•
Mallen Chem. & Supply Co.	PeT
Forthington Pump & Mach.	AssilVen
Worth Steel	PeV
Youngstown Pdry. & Mach. Co.	:
Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co.	
CANADIAN	-
Canadian Brake Shoe & Pdry. Co.	ToT
Industries, Ltd.	
Consolidated Vining & Iron Co.	V Metal V Pent
Dominion Foundries & Steel Ltd.	Pay

1939 Demostic and Canadian Price Ranges
FeV GH \$2.70 to 2.80 per Lb. Ctd.V
FeV Cru. \$2.80 to 2.90 per Lb. Ctd. V
FeV Prim.\$2.90 to 3.00 " " "
V Pent \$1.10 per Lb. Ctd.V205 to 1.25 per Lb. Material
Ammilvan \$1.90 to 2.20 per Lb.
V Metal 90% \$3.30 to 3.50 per Lb. Ctd. V
V Metal 95% \$.40 to .45 per gram
V Pent C.F. \$7.00 per Lb.
Ammilvan CF \$7.00 per Lb.
SodOVan \$.90 to 2.20 per Lb.

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# VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Sales of Vanadium Ore, Fine Dust, Vanadic Acid (Vanadium Pontoxide), Ferro Vanadium and Price Sunges

Year - 1940

#### DOMESTIC

#### CUSTOMER

Asmo Steel & Mall Iron Works Adirondank Foundries & Steel Ahern Textile Print Ajax Electrothermic Corp. Alam Wood Steel Co. Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corp.

Alloy Steel & Hetals Co.
Allyne-Nyan Foundry Co.
Altens Foundry & Machine Morke
American Car & Foundry Co.
American Chain & Cable Co.
American Cyanamid & Chemical Co.
American Locomotive Co.
American Smelting & Refining Co.

American Steel Casting Co. American Steel Foundries Ansbacher-Siegle Corp.

Babcock & Wilcox Co. H. W. Baleley Baseite Smelting Co. Bell Telephone Lab.

Belmont Smelting & Refining Co.

Bethlehem Steel Co.

Blockson Chemical Co. Bonney-Floyd Co. Braceburn Alley Steel Corp. Braum Corp. Brower & Co. Buffalo Co-op Stove Co. Burnaide Steel Foundry Co.

Galoo Chemical Div.
Galorising Co.
Galumot Steel Castings Co.
Gamphell Myant & Cannon Pdy. Co.
Garbic Color & Chemical Co.
Garberundum Co.

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#### CUSTORER

Carms Chemical Co. Catalytic Div. Co. Central Iron Pary. Co. Contral Iron Pary. Co. Champion Spark Ping Co. Chapman Valve Mg. Co. Chicago Halloshie Gastings Co. City Chemical Co. Clark Equipment Co. Climax Holybdemm Corp. Signand Coben Cold Spring Bleachery H. Cole Co. Colonial Steel Div. Columbia University Consolidated Chemical Industries Continental Roll & Steel Foundries Cook Corante Mrg. Co. Copperweld Steel Co. Corning Glass Works M. G. Careon Crane Co. Crobalt, Inc. Crucible Steel Cetg. Co. Crucible Steel Co. of America

Dake Engine Co.
Horton Dennis Co.
Detroit Alloy Steel Co.
Detroit Gray Iron Pdry. Co.
Detroit Steel Cstg. Co.
Henry Disston & Sons, Inc.
B. F. Drakenfeld & Co.
E. I. DuPont de Hemours

Duraley Co. Duray Plastics & Chemical Corp.

E. A. Laboratories Mi. Eastman Kodak Edgewater Steel Co. Electric Steel Cast. Empire Steel Cast. Ensign Fdy. Erie Forge Etna Machine Fairmont Chem. Falk Corp. Paurot Protective System Ferro Bnamel Corp. Foote Mineral Co. Forged Carbides Inc. Porging & Castings Co. Fort Pitt Steel Castings Pritsechi Brothers

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#### CUSTONER

General Amiline Works General Chemical Co.

General Dyestuff Corp. General Electric Co.

General Steel Casting Corp. Gezing Chemical Company Givandon-Delawanna, Inc.

Glover Machine Works Gorham Tool Gompany Grand Rapids Foundry Great Lakes Steel Corp. Gulf Research & Dev. Co.

Hampton Co.
Hampton Co.
Hanovia Chemical & Mfg. Co.
Charles Hardy, Inc.
Harrison Steel Castings Co.
Harshaw Chemical Co.
Hartford Electric Steel Corp.
Harvard University
Heil Corp.
Hoppenstall Co.
Hobart Namufacturing Co.
Home Insurance Co.
Hudson Fur Dywing, Inc.
Hytensil Aluminum Co.
Ingersoll Steel & Disc Div.

Inland Steel Co.
International Harvester Co., Inc.
Jackson & Church Co.
Jackson & Church Co.
Jackson Steel Co.
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.
Joslyn Mrg. & Supply Co.
Fred Eahl Iron Co.
Kensington Steel Co.
Kensington Steel & Mire Co.
Kensington Steel & Mire Co.
Kilby Steel Co.
Litrobe Electric Steel Co.
Latrobe Electric Steel Co.
Latrobe Electric Steel Co.
Locomotive Finished Material Co.
Lukens Steel Company
A. D. Mackay

Machined Steel Casting Co. P. R. Mallory & Co., Inc. Marion Steam Shovel Co. Mason Color & Chemical Works

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#### CUSTOMER

Mass. Inst. of Technology Maynard Elec. Steel Casting Co. McMernay Chemical Corp. Mesta Machine Co. Metal Hydrides, Inc. Metal & Thermit Corp. Metallo-Chemical Corp. Michigan Steel Casting Co. Midvale Co.

Milwaukee Steel Pdry. Co.
Monroe Steel Castings Co.
Monsanto Chemical Co.
Munning & Kunning, Inc.
Munkegon Piston Ring Co.
National Amiline & Chemical Co.

Mational Forge & Ordnance Co.

Moradeh Chemical Co. Ohio Steel Foundry Co. Paden City Pottery Co.

Parker Pen Co.

Penn Electric Steel Casting Co. Permutit Co. Peru Foundry Co. Phillips Dental Laborate --Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. Pittsburgh Rolle Division Pohlman Foundry Co. Pratt & Letchmeth Co. Proximity Mar Lacturing Co. Purdue University Red Wing Potterian, Inc. Reichhold Chemicals, Inc. Reilly Tar & Chemical Corp. Reliable Ink & Stationery Co. Reliance Steel Castings Co. Republic Steel Corp. Ross Hecham Foundries Rotary Electric Steel Co. Rouse & Shearer, Inc. Saginer Hallesble Iron Div. E. H. Sargent Co.

Service Poundry Co. The Sharples Solvents Corp. Simonds Saw & Steel Co. Sinelair-Valentine Co. Sirtex Printing Co. Siryer Steel Casting Co. Walden A. Smith

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#### CUSTORES

Smith Steel Foundry Co. Solvay Process Co. Southern Eleachery & Print Works Standard Elec. Steel Castings Co. Standard Oil Co. of Calif.

Standard Oil Development Co.

Standard Steel Works Division

Prederick Steams & Co.

J. L. Stifel & Sons, Inc.
Stuart Foundry Co.
Superior Foundry Co.
Swedish Crucible Steel Co.
Symington-Gould Corp.
Taylor Wharton Iron & Steel Co.
Textile Chemical Co.
Timken Roller Bearing Co.
Treadwell Engineering Co.
Joseph Turner & Co.

Tyonite Corp. of America The Udylite Corp. Union Spring & Mrg. Co. Union Picel Castings Unitest Corp. United Brass & Aluminum Co. United Engineering & Foundry Co. U. S. Fingerprint Products, Inc. U. S. Steel Corp. Universal Cyclops Steel Corp.

Valley Paint & Chemical Co. Valley Steel Casting Co. Valley Steel Co. Verona Chemical Co. Vulcan Crucible Steel Co. Vulcan Iron Works Waldrich Co. Washburn Wire Company W. H. Welch Mfg. Co.

West Michigan Steel Foundry Co. West Steel Casting Go. Will Corp.

Morth Steel Co. Toungstown Foundry & Mach.Co. Toungstown Sheet & Tube Co. Zenith Foundry Co. Zimmerman Steel Co.

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#### CANADIAN

#### CUSTOMER

Canadian Brake Shoe & Foundry Co. Consolidated Mining & Smelting Deloro Smelting & Refining Co., Ltd. Dominion Foundries & Steel, Ltd.

#### MATERIAL

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#### 1940 - DOMESTIC AND CANADIAN PRICE RANGES

Fe Van D H - \$2.70 to \$2.80 per 1b. Ctd. Y - \$2.80 to \$2.90 \* \* \* Pe Van Cru - \$2.90 to \$3.00 " " Fe Van Pri Van Pent - \$1.10 per 1b.Ctd. 7205 to 1.25 per 1b. mat'l - \$1.90 to 2.20 per 1b. Am H Van V Hetal 90% - \$3.30 to 3.50 per 1b. Ctd. V - \$0.40 to \$0.45 per gram V Hetal 95% - \$7.00 per 1b. W Pent C P Amm H Van C P - \$7.00 per 1b. Sod O Van - \$0.90 to \$2.20 per 1b.

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#### DOMESTIC

Oustomer
Abbott Laboratories
Adme Foundry Co.
Adirondock Foundries & Steel
Astna-Standard Eng. Co.
Ahern Textile Print
Dean Wood Steel Co.
Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corp.

Allied Textile Printers
Altens Foundry & Machine Co.
American Car & Foundry Co.
American Chain & Cable Co.
American Cyanamid & Chem. Co.
American Electro Metal Corp.
American Electro Metal Corp.
American Smelting & Refining Co.
American Steel Foundries
Apex Foundry Co.
Apponaug Co.
Arnold Print Works
Auto Specialties Mfg. Co.
Babcock & Wilcox Co.
J. T. Baker Chemical Co.
Ball Telephone Laboratories
J. & H. Berge
Berg Chemical Co.
Bethlehem Steel Co.
Bethlehem Steel Co.

Bonney-Floyd Co.
Braeburn Alloy Steel Corp.
Burnside Steel Foundry Co.
Burt Foundry Co.
A. N. Byers Co.
Calco Chemical Div.
Caluset Steel Castgs. Corp.
Campbell Wyant & Cannon Pdry. Co.
Carbic Color & Chem. Co.
Carborundus Co.
Carborundus Co.
Carma Chemical Co.
Carus Chemical Co.
Central Iron Foundry
Central Scientific Co.

Chapman Valve Mfg. Co. Chicago Steel & Wire Co. Chrysler Corp. City Chemical Co. Glaflin Co. Clark Equipment Co.

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Climax Molybdemum Corp.
Cold Spring Bleachery
H. Cole Co.
Coleman & Bell Co.
Colonial Steel Div.
Columbia University
Consolidated Chem. Industries
Continental Finger Print Prod.
Continental Roll & Steel Pdry.
Copperweld Steel Co.
Crobolt Inc.
Crucible Steel Cast. Co.(Mil)
Crucible Steel Co. of Amer.

A. Daigger & Co.
Davis & Gock Inc.
Dayton Steel Foundry Co.
Dentalium Labe.
Detroit Alloy Steel Co.
Detroit Steel Cast. Co.
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Doonen & Smith Chemical Co.
B. F. Drakenfeld & Co.
E. I. DuPont de Nemoure

Duraloy Co. E. A. Laboratories Elmer & Amend Electric Steel Cast. Co. Electrocast Steel Pdry. Co. Empire Ordnance Corp. Ensign Foundry Co. Erie Forge Co. Erie Forge & Steel Co. Stna Kachine Co. Pairmount Chemical Co. Falk Corp. Paurat Prat & Iden System Ferro manel Co. Ferro Mach. & Fdry. Co. Pollanstee Steel Corp. Poote Mineral Co. Ford Motor Co. Forging & Cast. Corp. Fort Pitt Steel Cast. Co. Frenchtona Porcelain Co.

Geigg Co. Gelatin Products Co. General Aniline Works General Chemical Co.

General Dyestuff Corp. General electric Co.

General Steel Casting Corp. Gorham Tool Co. Great Lakes Steel Corp.

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Link Belt Co.
Locomotive Fin. Miterial Co.
Lukens Steel Co.
Lynchburg Foundry Co.
A. D. Mackay
Machined Steel Cast. Co.
P. R. Mallory & Co. Inc.
Marion Steam Shovel Co.
Mason Color & Chem Mks.
Mass. Inst. of Tech.
Massillon Steel Cast. Co.

Keolnik Steel Castings Co.

Laboratory Naturials Co. Latrobe Elec. Steel Co.

Lefourneau Co. of Georgia

Lowis Foundry & Mach. Div.

Lebanon Steel Poundry

Lima Locomotive Works

Enoxville Iron Co.

Lott & Co. Lowie Co.

Maynard Else. Steel Cast, Co. MeArthur Chem. Co. McKesson & Robbins Inc. Wm.S. Merrill Co.

Mosta Machine Co. Metal & Thermit

Michigan Steel Casting Co.

V. Pent. Amu M. Van Y. Hetal Fe. T V. Pent. To. Y Arm H Van V. Pent. Te. T V. Pent. V. Pent CP Y. Pent. Pe. Y V. Pent. Aum N Vac Te. T V. Hotal 70. Y V. Pent. Te. T. V. Pent. Po. Y Po. T Po. Y Amm H Van Sod H Van CP Po. T Fe. Y Fe. T Sod N Van Po. T Fa. Y Fe. V Fe. T Am K Van To. Y Pe. T Pe. T Po. T Po. T Pe. T V. Hotal Po. T V. Pent. Pe. T. V. Pent. Po. Y Pe. Y Po. Y Am H Yan V. Pent.

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Midvale Co.

Milwaukee Steel Pdry. Co. Monroe Steel Cast. Co. Motor Castings Co. Motor & Machinery Cast. Corp. Muskegom Piston Ring Mat'l Aniline & Chem. Co.

Nat'l Forge & Ord. Co.
Nat'l Mall. & Steel Cast. Co.
Nat'l Supply Co.
Newport News Ship & Drydook
N. Y. Quinine & Chem. Works
Nobilium Products, Inc.
Northwestern Univ.
Ohio Steel Foundry Co.
Oklahoma Steel Cast. Co.
Omaha Steel Works
Padem City Pottery Co.
Parker Pen Co.
Pelton-Kurts Supply Co.
Penn. Elec. Steel Cast. Co.
Penn. State College

The Permutit Co. Peru Fdry. Co. Pittsburgh Steel Co. Red Wing Pottery Co. Reichhold Chemicals, Inc.

Reliable Ink & Stationery Co. Reliance Steel Cast. Co. Republic Chemical Corp. Republic Steel Corp.

Riley Stoker Corp.
Robinson-Ramsbottom Pottery
Ross Meshan Fdries.
Rotary Elec. Steel Corp.
Saginaw Metal Products Co.
St. Louis Steel Cast. Co.
E. H. Sargent Co.

Saubrook Steel Castings Scientific Glass App. Co.

Scurlock Littman Eng. Ass. Sealkote Corp. Shamokin Dye & Print Works The Sharples Solvents Corp.

Simonds Saw & Steel Co. Sirtex Printing Co. Sivyer Steel Cast. Co. A. O. Smith Corp. Material Pe. V V. Hotal Pe. V

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Customer Smith Steel Fdry. Co. Spencur Heater Div. Standard Elec. Steel Cast. Standard Oil Co. of Calif. Standard Oil Co. of La.

Standard Oil Development Co.

Standard Steel Works, Mv. Standard Ultramarine Stauffer Chem. Co. Sterling Steel Cast. Co. J. L. Stifel & Sone, Inc. Stoody Co. Stuart Foundry Co. Superior Steel & Eall. Cast. Swansea Print Works Swedish Crucible Steel Co. Symington-Gould Taylor-Wharton Iron & Steel Technical Porcelain & C.W.Co. Textile Chemical Co. Timken Roller Bearing Co. Titanium Alloy Mfg. Co. Treadwell Eng. Co. Union Elec. Steel Corp. Union Sprg. & Mfg. Co. Union Steel Cast. Unitcast Corp. United Brase & Alum. Co. U. S. Fingerprint Prod. U. S. Foundries U. S. Steel Corp. Univ. -Cyclope Steel Corp.

The Upjohn Co. Valley Steel Cast. Co. Vanadium Alloys Steel Corp. Verona Chemical Co. Vulcan Crucible Steel Co.

Vulcan Iron Works Waldrich Co. Geo. T. Walker & Co.

Washburn Wire Co.
W. H. Welch Mfg. Co.
West Mich. Steel Pdry.
West Steel Cast. Co.
Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co.
Wilkening Mfg. Co.
Worth Steel Co.
Toungstown Pdry. & Mach. Co.
Toungstown S & T Co.
Zenith Foundry Co.
R. M. Zerby

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#### VANADIUM CORPORATION of AMERICA Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadic Acid (Vanadium Pentoxide) & Perre Vanadium and Price Ranges YEAR - 1942

#### Domestic

### CUSTONER

Abbott Laboratories Advance Foundry Co. Acme Steel & Malleable Iron Norks Adirondack Foundries & Steel, Inc. The Astna-Standard ang. Co. Ahern Textile Print Alan Wood Steel Co. Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corp.

Allie Foundry Products, Inc. American Cyanamid & Chemical Co. American Locomotive Co. American Holling Mill Co. American Smelting & Refining Co. American Steel Foundries American Well & Prosp. Co. itlas Steels, Ltd. Babcock & Wilcox Co. J. T. Baker Chemical Co. Base Foundry & Machine Divn. Bell Telephone Lab. Bethlehem Steel Co.

Bonney Floyd Co. Braeburn Alloy Steel Corp. Braun Corp. Brocker Chemical Co. Bucyrus Erie Co. Burnside Steel Foundry Co. A. H. Byers Co. Carbic Color & Chemical Co. Carns Chemical Co., Inc. Colanose Corp. of America Chapman Valve Manufacturing Co. Chicago Steel & Wirm Co. Ciba Co., Inc. Cold Spring Bleachery H. Cole Co. The Coleman & Bell Co., Inc. The Colonial Foundry Co. Colonial steel Co. Consolidated Chemical Industries, Inc.

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CUSTOMER	Material
Continental Roll & Steel Foundry Co.	F. V
Copperweld Steel Co.	7. V
Crobalt, Inc.	V Notal
Crucible Steel Co. of America	8. A
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Henry Dieston & Sone, Inc.	7. V
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E. I. Du Pont de Nemoure & Co.	Amm H Van Ci
The Duraley Co.	Po V
E. A. Laboratories, Inc.	Van Pent
Einer & Amend	
Electric Boat Co.	Amm H Van
Electric Steel Castings Co.	7. V
Electrocast Steel Foundry Co.	7. Y
Empire Ordnance Co.	r. v
Ensign Foundry Co.	re v
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Erie Forge & Steel Co.	P. V
Palk Corp.	Fe T
Paurot Protective & Identification Sys.	Sed Van
Ferro Enamel Corp.	Amm H Van
Firth-Sterling Steel Co.	7. V
Follansbee Steel Corp.	Pe V
Ford Motor Co.	Po V
Forging & Casting Corp.	P. V
General Color & Chemical Co.	Van Pent
	Amm H Van
General Dyestuff Corp.	Amm H Van
Gorham Tool Co.	7. V
Emil Greinic Co.	Agen H Van
Charles Hardy, Inc.	V Hetal
Harrison Steel Ceetings Co.	re v
Marshaw Chemical Co.	Van Pent
Harvard University	Van Pent CP
Heppenstall Co.	7. V
O. Hommel Co.	Van Pent
Hytensil Aluminum Co.	V Hetal
Ingersell Steel & Disc. Divn.	P• V
Inland Steel Co.	7 · Y
International Harvestor Co., Inc.	7. V

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# Domestic

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#### CUSTOMER

Jessop Steel Co. Jones & Laughlin Steel Co. Frederick Kahl Iron Co. . M. M. Kellogg Co. Latrobe electric Steel Co. Lebanon Steel Foundry Levis Co. Lukens Steel Co. A. D. Mackay Machined Steel Casting Co. Mason Color & Chesdeal Works Master Mix Paint & Lacquer Corp. Haymard Elec. Steel Castings Co. Mesta Machine Co. Metal & Thermit Corp. Michigan Steel Castings Co. Midvale Co. Monroe Steel Castings Co. Mapco, Inc. Mathan Chemical Co. Mational Analine Divn.

National Bureau of Standards National Forge & Ordnance Mational Lead Co. Mational Malleable & Steel Castings Co. National supply Co. Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Co. Nimon Nitration forks Mobilium Products, Inc. Ohio Steel Foundry Co. (-pringfield, Ohio) Osalid Products Diwn. Parker Pen Co. The Patterson Serson Co. Penn Electric Steel Castings Co. Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. Mayrez Printers, Inc. MCA Manufacturing Co. heilly far & Chemical Corp.

Republic Steel Corp.

Rhode Island State College
Rotary Electric Steel Co.
E. H. Sargent Co.

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#### CUSTOKE

Shell Development Co.
Sherwin Williams Co.
Simonds Saw & Steel Co.
Simonds Saw & Steel Co.
Sirtex Printing Co.
George F. Smith
Solar Aircraft Co.
Standard Kleetrie Steel Castings Co.
Standard Steel Works Co.
Standard Ultramarine Co.
Standard Ultramarine Co.
Stauffer Chemical Co.
Sterling Steel Casting Co.
The Stoody Co.
Superior Steel & Malleable Castings Co.
Textile Chemical Co.
Timken Holler Bearing Co.

Tinnite Co.
Treadwell Engineering Co.
Union Electric Steel Corp.
Union Steel Castings
Unitcast Corp.
United Brass & Aluminum Co.
U.S. Fingerprint Products, Inc.
U.S. Foundries, Inc.
U.S. Steel Corp.

Universal-Cyclope Steel Corp.

University of Pittsburgh Valley Steel Castings Co. Vanadiu 'lloys Steel Vulcan Crucible Steel Co.

Waldrich Co. George T. Walker

T. F. Washburn Co. Washburn Wire Co. West Steel Castings Westinghouse Elec. & Mfg. Co. Wilkens Anderson Co. Worth Steel Co.

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#### CUSTORER

Toungetown Foundry & Machine Co. Zenith Foundry Co. A. M. Zerby

# Material

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Van Pent V Hetal Pe V Amm H Van Amm H Van

# 1942 Domestie & Canadian Price hanges

Fo V - OH - \$2.70 to \$2.80 per Lb Ctd Van
Fo V - Cru - 2.80 \* 2.90 \* \* \* \*
Fo V - Pri - 2.90 \* 3.00 \* \* \* \*
V Pent - 1.10 per Lb Ctd V205 to \$1.25 per LB material
V Hetal 905 - 3.30 \* 3.50 \* \* Ctd V
V Hetal 955 - 40 \* .45 \* gram
V Pent CP - 7.00 per Lb
Amm X Van CP - 7.00 \* .
Sod Van - .90 to 2.20 per Lb

Prices the same to all customers for similar quantities, sizes - on contract and spot bases. Special grinding and quality extras not indicated in above standard prices.

# VARADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadie Asid (Vanadium Fentoxide), Perro Vanadium and Price Ranges

TEAR 1943

#### Domostie

#### CUSTOM

A. C. Spark Flug Div. Actare, Inc. Adirondack Foundries & Steel Alleghemy Ludlum Steel Corp.

Allie Chalmere Hfg. Co. American Cyanamid Co. American Enka Corp.

American Hoist & Derrick Co. American Locomotive Co. American Smelting & Refining Co. Apex Chemical Co. Apponaug Co. Armstrong Cork Co.

Baker & Co.
J. T. Baker Chemical Co.
Barnaby-Chemey Engineering Co.
Bell Telephone Laboratories
Bethlehem Steel Co.
B. G. Corp.
Bonney-Pleyd Co.
Bonnet Co.
Borden & Remington Co.
Braeburn Alley Steel Corp.
Braum-Enecht Heiman Co.

A. M. Byers Co. Carbie Color & Chemical Co. Carus Chemical Co., Inc. Central Iron Poundry Co. Central Scientific Co.

Chematar, Inc.
Chicago Foundry Co.
City Chemical Co.
Clark Equipment Co.
H. Cole Co.
Combustion Engineering Co., Inc.
Commercial Salvents Corp.
Continental Boll & Steel Co.

#### MATERIAL

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#### CUSTONER

Copperweld Steel Co. Crane Co. Crobelt, Inc. Crucible Steel Co. of America W. H. Curtin & Co.

Penver Fire Clay Co. Dickson Gun Flant Henry Disston & Sons Dow Chemical Co. E. I. DuPont de Nemours

Dye Specialties Corp.

Eastman Kodak Co. Eimer & Amend Bril Engel Empire Ordinance Corp. Erie Forge Co. Erie Forge & Steel Co. Paurot Protective System Foote Mineral Co. Ford Motor Co.

Forging & Casting Corp. Freschi Brothers General Edline Works

General Dyestuff Corp. G. W. Gesing Corham Tool Co.

Hampton Co. Hannell-Eleock Co. Charles Hardy, Inc.

Harshaw Chemical Co.

Heil Corp.

Heppenstall Co. O. Hommel Co.

Ingersoll Steel & Dies Div.

Jessop Steel Co. Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.

Killian Research Laboratories Kolsman Instr. Dlv.

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#### CUSTOMER

Latrobe Electric Steel Co. Lehigh University Lukens Steel Co.

A. D. MacKay

"Malleable IronFittings Co.
Mallinckrodt Chemical Works
Mason Color & Chemical Works
Mesta Machine Co.
Metal & Thermit Corp.
Midwale Co.
Milwaukee Steel Foundry Co.
Mine & Smelters Supply Co.

Muskegon Piston Ring Co.

National Aniline Co.

National Forge & Ordnance Co.
Naugatuck Chemical Div.
Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.
Niazara Alekali Co.
Niazara Falls Smelting Corp.
Niazara Falls Smelting Corp.
Niazara Sprayer Co.
Nobilium Products, Inc.
Nu-Ballium, Inc.

Ohio Steel Foundry Co. E. Dewitt Osborne Otis Elevator Co.

Pacific Vanasit Co. Pan American Alloys, Inc. Pa. Electric Steel Castings Co. Ps. State College Penn Rivet Corp. Phillips Petroleum Co.

Pittsburgh Rolls Div (Blaw Knex Co.)

Raw Chemicals, Inc.
RCA Victor Div. of RCA
Reduction & Hefining Co.
Reichhold Chemicals, Inc.
Reliable Ink & Stationery Co.
Reirance Steel Castings Co.
Reproduction Products Co.
Republic Steel Corp.
Reynolds Metals Co.
Roemer Drug Co.
Rotary Fleatric Steel Co.

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#### CUSTOMER

Rotomet Corp.
Rustless Iron & Steel Co.

Saginaw Malleable Iron Div. Scientific Glass Apparatus Co. E. H. Sargent Co. Simonds Saw & Steel Co. Sirtex Printing Co. Standard Electric Steel Catgs. Co. Standard Steel Works Co. Standard Oil Development Co.

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Standard Ultramarine Co. Stauffer Chemical Co. Sterling Steel Casting Co. Stoody Co. Strong Cobb & Co. Strong Steel Foundry Co. Sylvania Electric Products

Textile Chemical Co. Timken Roller Bearing Co. Titanium Alloy Mfg. The Tredegar Co. Tungsten Alloy Mfg.

Union Electric Steel Corp.
Union Steel Castings Div.
United Brass & Aluminum Co.
U. S. Steel Corp.
Universal Cyclops Steel Corp.

University of California University of Florida University of Pittsburgh

Valley Steel Casting Co. Vanadium Alleys Steel Co.

Vulcan Crueible Steel Co. Waldriek Co. Geo. T. Walker & Co. Wall-Colomony Corp. Wallwork Foundry Co. Warren Foundry & Pipe Corp.

#### MATERIAL

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FeV Cru FeV PeV FeV V Pent FeV Y Metal Amn H Van V Pent Am HVan CP FeV FeV V Metal FeV Arm XVan Am MVan CP V Pent FeV FeV

CUSTOMER

Washburn Wire Co. West Steel Casting Co. Westinghouse Electric & Mfg.

Well Corp.

MATERIAL

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CANADIAN

CUSTOMER

Deloro Smelting & Refining Co. Electronetallurgical Co. of Canada MATERIAL

V Metal FeV

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FeVOH \$2.70 to 2.80 per 1b, etd. V
FeV Cru 2.80 to 2.90 \* \* \* \* \*
FeV Pri 2.90 to 3.00 \* \* \* \* \*
V Pent 1.10 per 1b, etd V205 to 1.25 per 1b, matl.
Aum H Van 1.90 to 2.20 per pound
V Hetal 95% .40 to .45 per gram
V Pent CP 7.00 per pound
Aum H Van CP 7.00 \* \*
Sod 0 Van .90 to 2.20 per pound

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Sales of Vanadium Ore, Flue Dust, Vanadie Acid (Vanadium Pentoxide) and Ferro Vanadium

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Artere, Inc.	7.07
Adirondack Pdries & Steel Co.	•
Air Reduction Sales Co.	V Pent CP
Alan Wood Steel Co.	Fe∀
Allegheny-Ludlum Steel Corp.	•
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Allie Chalmers Mfg. Co.	<b>PeV</b>
Alten's Foundry & Machine Co.	
Aluminum Co. of America	Amm H Van
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Aluminum Forginge, Inc.	V Metal
American Cyanamid & Chem. Co.	V Pent
American Fdry, Equipment Co.	FeV
American Locomotive Co.	
American Viscose Corp.	AmmH Van CP
American Well & Prospecting Co.	F∙V
Arcrode Corp.	
Baker & Co.	V Motal
J. T. Baker Chem. Co.,	AmmH Van CP V Pent CP
Barrett Co.	V Pent
Batelle Memorial Inst.	•
Bay State Abrasive Prod. Co.	
Belmont Smelt, & Ref. Co.	V Metal
Bethlehem Steel Co.	Fe V
	V Pent.
Braun Corp.	
Brown Industries	PeV Ammit Van
Buffalo Apparatus Co.	-
Bruneide Steel Fdry. Co.	FeV AmmM Van
Eurrell Tech. Supply Co.	PeV
Burt Foundry Co.	,,,,
A. H. Byers Co.	
Calif. Research Co.	Arm H Van
	Amen Van CP
	V Pent
	Y Pont CP
	V Metal
Campbell Wyant & Cannon Pdy. Co.	PeV
Carbic Color & Chem. Co.	AmmH V
Carbide & Carton Chem. Corp.	AmmH Van CP
Carus Chemical Co.	V Pent

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Case Mfg. Co., Wm. A. & Son		V Pent
Central Iron Foundry		FeV
Chapman Valve Mfg. Co.		
Chematar, Inc.		V Pent CP
Chemical Product Corp.		V Pent
Chemo Puro Mfg. Co.		V Fent CP
City Chemical Co.		So Van
Clark Equipment Co.		FeV
Climax Molybdenum Corp.		V Metal
Sigmond Cohn Co.		FeV
Cold Spring Bleachery		Amm M Van
H. Cold Co.		V Pent CP
Coleman & Bell Co.		V Pent
Colonial Foundry Co.		FeV
Colonial Steel Div.		
Combustion Engineering Co.		V Pent
Continental Fdry. & Mach. Co.		FeV
Copperweld Steel Co.		*
Corning Glass Works		V Cent
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Dareis Emergency Equipment Co.	0	V Pent
Debuden Co		V Pent CP
Dehydro Co.		FeV
Makasa Con Mana		V Ketal
Dickson Gun Plant		F•V
Henry Disston & Sons, Inc.		
Dow Chemical Co.		Sod O Van
B. F. Drakenfeld Co.		V Pent
Drug Products, Inc.	0	Ammid Van CP
E. I. DuPont Nemoura	0.0	V Pent
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Eagle Grinding Wheel Co.		₹ Pent
Eastman Kodak Co.		AumN Van
Eimer & Amend Co.		V Pent
Electric Auto Lite Co.		FeV
electro Metallurgical Co.		
Erie Forge Co.	۰,	•
Erie Forge & Steel Co.		•
Fairbanks Horse Co.		•
Fairmont Chemical Co.		V Hetal
Falk Corp.		7.07
Ferro Enamel Corp.		Armit Van
Follansbee Steel Corp.		Pev
Poote Hineral Co.		V Pent
Ford Hotor Co.		FeV
General Aircraft Equip. Co.		
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#### CUSTONER

# General Chemical Co.

General Color & Chem. Co. General Dyestuff Corp. General Enters Corp. Clasgo Finishing Co.

Goodall-Sanford, Inc.
B. F. Goodrich Co.
Gorham Tool Co.
Gould's Pumps, Inc.
Great Lakes Steel Corp.
Guarack Hachined Prods. Co.
Hampton Co.
Hannell Eleock Co.
Harbison Walker Refractories
Charles Hardy, Inc.
Barshaw Chemical Co.

Harvel Research Corp. Joshua Hendy Iron Works Heppenstall Co. Hercules Powder Co.

Hinderliter Tool Co.
Hoffman-La Roche, Inc.
C. Hormel Co.
Johns Hopkins Univ.
Hypex Co.
Infileo Co.
Inferential Steel & Diec Div.
Inland Steel Co.
International Harvester Co.
International Min. & Chem. Corp.
Jeasop Steel Co.
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.
Frederick Kahl Iron Foundry
Kimble Glass Co.

Koppers Co. Lakeside Laboratories Latrobe Elec. Steel Co.

Locomotive Fin. Material Co. Lukens Steel Co. Lynchburg Foundry Co. Fachined Steel Cstg. Co. A. D. Mackay P. R. Mallory & Co. Marion Steem Shovel Co. Mass. Inst. of Tech.

Haytag Co.

# MATERIAL

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Mosta Machine Co. Notal Hydrides Inc. Hetal & Thermit Corp. Midvale Co. Mine & Smelter Sup. Co. Monroe Steel Castings Co. Motor & Machinery Catgo. Co. Muskegon Piston Ring Co. National Aller Steel Div. Nat. Aniline Div. National Forge & Ordnance Co. Niagara Falls Sm. & Ref. Co. hichel Straight Poy Corp. Nobilium Products, Inc. Nordberg Mfg. Co. Ohio Steel Pdry. Co. Ortho Products Inc. Otis Elevator Co. Pacific Hills

Parker Pen Co. Pennsylvania Elec. Steel Crystal Co. Penn State College Peru Foundry Co. Phillips Petroleum Co.

Pitteburgh Pdry. & Mach. Co. Pitteburgh Rolls Div. Pitteburgh Steel Foundry Corp. Riytechnical Inst. of Brooklyn Primos Chemical Co. Publicker Com. Alcohol Co. Pullman Standard Car & Fdry. Co. Pusey & Jones Corp. Rare Chemicals Inc. Raytheon Mfg. Co. Reliance Steel Cast. Co. Rensselser Valve Co. Re, wolfe Steel Corp. Roemer Drug Co. Ross Hochan Pdries. Rotary Elec. Steel Co. Roxboro Steel Co. Rustless Iron & Steel Co. Saginaw Hall. Iron Div. E. H. Sargent Co. Sharon Steel Corp. Sherwin-Williams Co.

Sirtex Printing Co.

Simonde Saw & Steel Co.

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#### CUSTONER

A. O. Smith Corp. Standard Elec. Steel Catgo. Co. Standard Cil Develop. Co.

Standard Oil Co. of La.

Standard Steel Works Div. Standard Ultramarine Co. Standard Varmish Works Stauffer Chemical Co.

Sterling Steel Casting Co. Stoody Co. Strook & Wittenberg Tennesses Eastman Co. Textile Chem. Co. Timken Roller Bearing Co. TitaniumAlloy Mrg. Co.

United Brass & Alus. Co. United Brass & Alus. Co. United Engineering & Foundry Co. United Herchants & Migrs. Cosp. U. S. Steel Corp. Universal Cyclops Steel Corp.

Univ. of California Univ. of Illinois Valle: Steel Casting Co. Vanadium-Alloys Steel Co.

Vicar Laboratories

Victoreen Inst. Co.

Vulcan Cru. Steel Co. Waldrich Co. Walker & Co.

Wallwork Pdry, Co. Wampburn Wi. Co. West Steel Caig. Co. Westinghouse Elec. & Mrg. Co.

White Laboratories silkening Mfg. Co. Will Corp. Worth Steel Co. Toungstown Fdry. & Mach. Co. V Pent

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#### MATERIAL

Canadian Copper Refiners Canadian Laboratory Supplies Dominion Tar & Chem. Co. Sod O Van V Pent AmmH Van V Pent FeV

#### 1944 Domestic & Canadian Price Ranges

Fe VOH - \$2.70 to \$2.80 per 1b. Ctd. Van.
Fe V Cru - \$2.80 to \$2.90 per 1b. Ctd. Van.
Fe V Pri - \$2.90 to \$3.00 per 1b. Ctd. Van.
V Pent - \$1.10 per 1b. V205 Ctd to \$1.25 per 1b. Mat'l
AmmM Van - \$1.90 to \$2.20 per pound
V Metal 90% - \$3.30 to \$3.50 per 1b Ctd V
V Metal 95% - \$ .40 to \$ .45 per gram
V Pent CP - \$7.00 per pound
AmmM Van CP - \$7.00 per pound
Sod 0 Van - \$ .90 to \$2.20 per pound

Prices the same to all customers for similar quantities, sises - on contract and spot bases. Special Grinding and Quality extras not indicated in above standard prices.

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IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 18

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Mifle Fred- lbe-, v205	Uravas Fred. Lbs. 1205	Draves	Darango UBV-HIC red -Pred -Lbs - F205	200	Was.Corp.	USV Contract	Tot.USV ETTO, Incl. Agencies Lbe, Y205

1986	0	1,875,695	1.875.695		0				1,875,695
1939	0	1,995,717	1,995,717		1,000	(B)			1,9,5,717
1990	٥	2,194,135	2,194,105		5,000				2,194,165
1987	•	2,37 ,700	2,376,700	0	5,000				2,376,700
1962 Mifle Plant Recommed	1,285,417	2,224,831	3,510,748	186,632 852,884	40,000 80,000	(3)	0	0 185,620(J)	3,736,880 4,420,418
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1985	1,729,260	83,901 (A	) 1,813,161	365,616	0		0	916,095(J)	

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1927	331,028 (?)		331,028	9-65%	22,300		353,328	28.41%	10.31%
1928	984,994 (2)		984,994	69-94%	55,134		1,040,128	84.221	73-85%
1929	690,444 (P)		690,444	17.85%	21,001		711,445	59.00%	18-39%
1930	296,716 (P)		296,716	11.89%	87		296,803	27 -47%	11.90%
1931	317,420 (P)	1,072	319,092	14.49%	3,969		323,061	18.721	18.724 (V)
1932	131,536 (2)	9,090	140,626	19.425	0		140,626	19.41\$	19.41\$ (Y)
1933	544,460 (P)	27,614	572,074	10,623.47%	217.334		789,408		14659-38% (Y)
1934	430,300 (P)	25,200	455,500	19-15%	788,138	12,045	1,255,683	7485.441	219-84%
1935	430,638 (2)	18,900	449,538	231.72	499.664	21,449	970,651	1427-435	500.34%
1936	460,836 (2)	20,338	481,174	74.50%	366,437	11,691	859,302		
1937	583.808 (2)	32,552	616,360	19.63%	551,565	37.105	1,205,030	459.90% 82.84%	38-37\$
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1927	331,028 (?)		331,026	9-65%	22,300	• • • • • •	353,328	28.415	10.315
1928	984,994 (2)		984,994	69.94%	55,134		1,040,128	84.221	73-85%
1929	690,444 (P)		690,444	17-85%	21,001		711,445	59.00%	18-39%
1930	296,716 (P)		296,716	11.89%	87		296,803	27 -475	11.90%
1931	317,420 (2)	1,072	319,092	10.49%	3,969		323,061	18.72	18.72 (V)
1932	131,536 (P)	9,090	140,626	19.42	0		140,626	19.415	19.415 (Y)
1933	544,460 (P)	27,614	572,074	10,623-47%	21,334		789,408	14659.381	14659.38% (Y)
1934	430,300 (P)	25,200	455,500	19-15%	768,138	12,045	1,255,683	7485.441	219.84%
1935	430,638 (2)	18.900	449,538	231.72	499,664	21,449	970,651	1427-431	500.34%
1936	460,836 (2)	20,338	481,174	74.50%	366,437	11,691	859,302	459.901	133-05%
1937	583,808 (1)	32,554	616,360	19-63%	551,565	37,105	1,205,030	82.841	38.37
1938	251,150 (2)	11,830	262,980	6.51	152,376	20,357	435,713	19-91%	10.781
1939	541,088 ())	15,914	557.002	11.06%	615.890 (	76,624	1,249,516(8)	57-37\$	24.82
1940	880,988 (P)	155,484	(R)1,036,472	17-42%	115 878 ( 226 123 187 843	135,786	1,914,851(8)	76-60£	32-19%
1941	2,666,806 (P)	242,626	2,909,432	48.79%		48,074	3,145,349	101.52	52.75%
1942	2,625,024 (P)	181,918	2,800,942	35.26%	277,088	32,675	3,116,705	66.10	39-161
1943	3,094,880 (P)	262,780	3,357,860	38.05%	195,413	7,898	3,561,171	58.61	40.35%
1944	1,864,970 (.)	101,876	1,906,846	29-691	118,589	29,738	2,115,173	43.14%	31-932
1945	1,220,590 (2)	132,126	1,352,718	20.862	84,871	37-309	1,474,898	33.471	22.74%
OTALS	18,347,676	1,240,122(1	P)19,587,798(P)	285%	4,900,292	470,751	24,958,841 1,040,655(U)	63.98\$	3e.17

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#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 19

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SCHEDULE SHOWING STREET OF TOTAL REQUIRE-MENTS CONTRACTS FOR PERMOVAHADIUM AND VOLUME IN POUNDS OF CONTAINED VANADIUM SOLD AGAINCT SUCH CONTRACTS FOR EACH YEAR FROM 1933 THROUGH 1949

Toor	No. of Total Requirement Contrasts For Perrovanadium	Volume in Founds of Ctd. V Sold Against Total Requirement Contracts For Ferro- Van-dium
1933	61	103,174.09
1934	67	154,398.80
1935	67	177,721.29
1936	96	336,798.16
1937	204	636,948.69
1938	126	190,797.79
1939	126	455,171.33
1940	243	791,287.44
1941	158 .	1,418,845.22
1942	103	1,233,613.18
1943	102	1,099,552.38
1944	99	910,074.60
1945	123	1,152,268.07
1946	119	537 .264 . 75
1947	108	508, 317.02
1948	110	660,298.20
1949	186	371,515.01
1949	126	371,515.01

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## UNION CARE

#### INTERROGATORY NO. 28

The number of total requirement contracts under which sales of ferrovanadium or vanadium oxide were made for each of the years indicated below, together with the quantity sold thereunder, is as follows:

#### Ferrovanadium

Year	No. of Contracts	4	Pounds Contained Vanadium Lelivered
1937 1938	23 36		130,044
1939 1940	33		150,509
1941 1942	36 27		522,109
1943 1944	40		277,000
1945 1946	28		153,575
1947 1946 1949 (7 mos.)	34 29 22		117,045 121,009 40,053

#### Venadium Oxide

Year	No. of Contracts	Pounds Contained V205 Delivered
1937 1938	3	37,556 13,559
1939	3	73,524
1940 1941	3	71,102
1942 1943	ş .	63,951 43,164
1944	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	40,747
1945	Ž.	67,414 21,050
1947	5	61,725
1948 1949 (7 mos.)	ő	Hone

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No. emilative contracts to Total contracts	92.005	83.725
Country sold on emission emtrarts to total quantity sold	57.946	25.006
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## IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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#### INTERROGATORY NO. 8 (a)

VANADIUM BEARING CHES HINED BY UNITED STATES VANADIUM COMPORATION FROM COMPANY CHEED AND LEASED CLAIMS 1933 to DEC. 31, 1947

#### Tons

1933		None
1934		
1935 1936		10,000.064
1237		55.723.291
1338		71,03,.4,1
1939		033.رران، رع
1940		77.031.300
1941		 07,203.0.3
1,42		119,109.,32
1;43		120,6,7.344
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1945		cy,210.102
1946		43,334.637
1947	*	(7,201.40)

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#### INTERROGATORY NO. 8 (b)

#### VANADIUM-BEARING ORES PURCHASED BY UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION FROM INDEPENDENT PRODUCERS 1933 to DECEMBER 31, 1947

	Tons
1933	None
1934	44
1935	64
1936	44
1937	44
1938	476.200
1939	1,568.725
1940	21,265.847
1941	30,111.058
1942	6,896.633
1943	2,292.923
1944	7,104.924
1945	8,125.972
1946	719.380
1947	None

# VANADIUM-BEARING ORES PURCHASED BY "" UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION, AS AGENT FOR METALS RESERVE COMPANY

	1005
1942	17,819.009
1943	145,196.098
1944	15,202.373

[fol. 137]

[Handwritten notation-VCA]

#### EXHIBIT I

#### QUANTITATIVE YEARLY TOTALS OF VANADIUM-BEARING ORES MINED - 1933 - 1947

Year		Net Dry Tons
1933		None
1934		None
1935		1,382
1936		4,926
1937		12,498
1938		21,740
1939		34,243
1940		46,592
1941		63,615
1942		80,612
1943		94,210
1944		52,948
1945		63,949
1946		37,827
1947		63,336
	TOTAL	577,878

NOTE: Includes 30,342 tons of ore sold to Metals Reserve Company during the years 1941 through 1944, which were repurchased by Vanadium Corporation of America in 1945 and reported as "purchased" in Exhibit II.

QUANTITATIVE YEARLY TOTALS OF VARADIUM-BYARING
ORES PURCHASED - 1933 - 1947

Year		Net Dry Tons
1933	-	None
1934		cone
1935		None
1936		None
1937		None
1938		None
1939		Rone
1940		4,380
1941		10,280
1942		17,079
1943		6,946
1944		6,711
1945 -		- 37,265
1946		2,291
1947		7,750
	TOTAL	92,702

MOTE: Includes 30,342 tons in 1945 purchased from Metals Reserve Company, which had been mined end sold by Vanadium Corporation of America during years 1941 through 1944 to Metals Reserve Company and reported as "mined" ore in Fzhibit I.

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IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 24

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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INTERROGATORY 8(h)

Total quantity of vanadium-bearing ores, vanadium oxide and ferrovansdium purchased from Metals Reserve Company.

UNION CAMBIDE AND CAMBON CORPORATION
ORE AND METAL DIVISION

PURCHASES OF VARADIUM OXIDE (V205)

1943

859,832.76

1944

59,520.75 lbs.

919 403.51

UNITED STATES VANADIUM COPPORATION

PURCHASES OF VANADIUM-BEARING ORE

3,523.186 dry tons.

[fol. 140]

### FXHIBIT VII

## CUANTITY OF VANADIUM-BEARING ORES PURCHASED FROM METALS RESERVE COMPANY

Year	Dry Tons		
1945	30,342		

## FROM VETALS RESERVE COMPANY

Year	Lbs. V <sub>2</sub> 0 <sub>5</sub>	
1942	127,332.07	
1943	854,107.15	
1944	774,145.63	
1945	101,383.61	

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1945	101,383.61	140

[fol. 141]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 33

United States Vanadium Corp.

New York City September 14, 1938

Outside Vanadium Ore Production

Mr. Blair Burwell United States Vanadium Corp. Uravan, Colorado

#### Dear Blair:

As I discussed with you the other night on the telephone. it has become very important that we find out accurately and definitely who is producing vanadium ore and where it is going. Along with this, we want to know the quality of the ore shipped so that we can get a line on the bounds of V2O5. I realize that some of the quality will have to be estimated, but we ought to get a very accurate line on what the shipments have been from southeastern Utah and southwestern Colorado. We may have to do something about this production, and if information could be obtained on what they get for this ore, it would help out. For instance-Harbison told me that he received 42¢ per pound for V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and 60¢ per pound for U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>8</sub> on a low-grade Polar Mesa ore, but if the V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> went over 7%, and the U<sub>3</sub>O<sub>6</sub> over 2%, he received 45¢ per pound of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> and 80¢ per pound for U<sub>5</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. These are pretty high prices for us, but it may be necessary to finally do something about it.

I have an idea that this production of ore which is going to Europe and Japan is quite a quantity of  $V_2O_5$ , and more than we think it is. I have been talking about this for some time here in New York, stating that the high prices maintained for  $V_2O_5$  in Europe invite and stimulate this kind of competition and can eventually support a considerable vanadium business, with possibly later on a plant.

In this respect I have had some correspondence with King about the application made by Balsley and Kipe for a freight rate on vanadium ore to Castleton, N. Y. where it is claimed the ore will be reduced. We cannot get any line on this plan here, and at Castleton there is no plant now available for this kind of work.

I hope you will be able to put somebody on this and make a very careful canvass of the situation. If you could have a talk personally with Balsley you could probably find out all about it. In talking to Balsley it would be to his advantage to give you this information because I have an idea that he is not making any too much money out of this business, and it might be made easier for him on some kind of a combination with us if we decide to do something about it, rather than to fight it. We could, of course, run all this business out—but it would not be good policy to hint of this or threaten.

In this connection, I would like to have a line on the Shattuck Chemical Company production. They are selling fused oxide not only in this country, but in Europe. Their oxide is low-grade containing only a little over 50%  $V_2O_5$ , [fol. 142] but they are selling it for less money. I have an idea their production is about 25 tons of fused oxide a year, but you may be able to get a closer line on this. From the record, you will be able to gather on the shipments to Vitro, we can get a line on their production of  $V_2O_5$ .

I have a pretty good line on the production of vanadium in Mammoth, Arizona, as it is all sold through a friend of mine here in New York.

Will you please see what you can do about this for me.

Very truly yours,

J. R. Van Fleet/mm IC [fol. 143]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 34

[Handwritten notations-Vanadium Situations-Extra]

General Mining Department

New York City

September 19, 1938

Mr. F. P. Gormely Room 1813 Building

Mr. J. D. Swain Mr. W. H. Sneath

Competitive Vanadium Ore Production

#### Dear Mr. Gormely:

A preliminary investigation of the vanadium ore production in southeastern Utah and southwestern Colorado has been made. The investigation is being continued and will be made complete at a later date. Preliminary figures indicate that the  $V_2O_5$  content of the ore which has been shipped already this year up to September 1st amounts to approximately 225,100 lbs. It is thought that for the balance of this year production will be at about the same rate, and the total ore production will amount to approximately 338,000 pounds contained  $V_2O_5$ .

The preliminary report does not give exports to Europe, but 7 cars containing 34,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> have been shipped to Japan already this year. An approximate list of these shipments to September 1, 1938 follows:

Japan	7	cars	34,000	lbs.	V2O5
Vitro Mfg. Co.	29	46	125,500	46	44
Shattuck Chemical Co.	2	44	5,600	44	44
North Continent Mining Co. (	Produ	aced)	40,000	**	44
Miscellaneous		,	20,000	44	**
			225 100	44	44

The 7 cars of ore which were sent to Japan were produced from the Temple Mountain, Yellow Cat and Polar Mesa properties in southeastern Utah. A Japanese outfit started to build a mill at Temple Mountain to concentrate ore from the many dumps. They worked about 60 days, apparently ran out of money and left the property—leaving unpaid bills. The ore shipped from Yellow Cat and Polar Mesa was purchased from the operators of those properties.

The Vitro Manufacturing Company has purchased 29 cars containing 125,500 lbs.  $V_2O_5$ . This ore also contains better than 2%  $U_2O_5$ . The Vitro Manufacturing Company process this ore from the uranium and sell the vanadium residue in some convenient form, recently reported as being fused oxide. It is not known at present where this vanadium goes. About half of these 29 cars have been produced at Polar Mesa by Harbison and Kipe. They receive high prices for this ore, viz., 45c per pound of  $V_2O_5$  and 80c per pound of  $V_2O_5$  contained in the ore. Vitro pays the freight from Utah.

[fol. 144] The Shattuck Chemical Company of Denver has purchased 2 cars of rather low-grade ore containing 5,600 lbs. of  $V_2O_5$ . These 2 cars were specially selected uranium ore and contained higher uranium in proportion to  $V_2O_5$  than most shipments.

The North Continent Mining Company has a small plant in the Paradox Valley and has produced about 40,000 lbs. of  $V_2O_5$  so far this year. This production is sent to the Shattuck Chemical Company in Denver. This production of the North Continent Mining Company purchased by Shattuck rather checks previous information that Shattuck Chemical Company produces and markets between 50,000 and 75,000 lbs. of  $V_2O_5$  yearly. They put this in the form of fused vanadium oxide with varying degrees of purity and containing from 51 to 75%  $V_2O_5$ .

There has been an estimated miscellaneous production of approximately 20,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> from various sources.

If the production for the rest of 1938 is in proportion, the entire 1938 production will amount to approximately 338,000 lbs. contained  $V_2O_5$  from these ore sources.

The Mammoth Mine in Arizona has an appreciable production of vanadium. Several years ago the Molybdenum Corporation of America built a mill at Mammoth with which to process ores extracted from the New Year and Mohawk properties. They entered into a contract with the owners of the Mammoth mine adjoining, to also treat ores from that mine. The treatment and recoveries were not satisfactory to Mammoth. Consequently, about January 1, 1938 Mammoth purchased the mill from the Molybdenum Corporation and took over the milling operation. Concentrates are made in this mill containing gold, lead, molybdenum and vanadium. The concentrates contain about 5% V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> and 7% MoO<sub>3</sub>.

We have looked over this operation, obtained samples of concentrates and are able to check up fairly well the production. The present capacity of the Mammoth mill would yield approximately 100,000 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  yearly, which checks closely with the 1937 production amounting to 90,000 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  purchased by Associated Metals and Minerals Company.

The Mammoth mine is owned by Lloyd-Smith, owner of Time, Life and Fortune magazines, and it is incorporated under the name of Mammoth Saint Anthony Company. Foster Naething is the General Manager of this company and is a very competent mining engineer.

If we add this 100,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> to the competitive ore production listed above, the total competitive production for 1938 will be approximately 438,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. There are many attractive occurrences of carnotite ore in the Southwest, and the production could easily be twice as much—given adequate financing and management.

[fol. 145] One potential producer of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> is the Anaconda Copper Company. In Idaho they produce phosphate rock, moving it to Anaconda, Montana for processing into fertilizer and phosphoric acid. The plant for this purpose at Anaconda is in connection with the smelter where they obtain cheap acid. This phosphate rock all contains a small amount of vanadium, and a process has been developed for recovering the vanadium from the phosphoric acid solution.

They expected to be producing vanadium this year, after installing equipment costing about \$200,000, but they did not feel inclined to proceed with this expenditure this year. I imagine when business is better they will begin producing fused oxide. It is estimated that this plant will produce approximately 100,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> yearly, and we have agreed to purchase the output.

The International Vanadium Corporation has taken over the lead vanadate property at Dripping Springs, Arizona. It is now being managed by one de Villiers, who was for a time employed at Rhodesian Broken Hills. The company is now well financed and the plan is to produce lead vanadate concentrates containing 17% V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, de Villiers claims that he can do this for 19c per pound of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, producing 4 tons of concentrates per day. This production, if carried through, would amount to approximately 40,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> monthly, or 480,000 lbs. yearly. They expect to be in production in about 3 months.

I have recently made two visits to Dripping Springs and one of our field engineers has sampled the Dripping Springs mine. We have paid particular attention to this operation from its inception several years ago. We could never check the quality or quantity of ore claimed. The last sampling, which was very comprehensive, confirmed our previous impression, and we cannot see how a profitable operation can be maintained at this place. The ore is entirely too tow-grade—containing approximately 20% V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>, with a small tonnage. There will be however, some concentrates made at this place, as in the past, but we anticipate that after a few months this operation will have to close.

For the last two years we have been making a comprehensive investigation of all vanadium resources in the Southwest, which we expect to finish this season. Several attempts have been made to erect small roasters, mills and other equipment for processing these ores on a small scale. So far all of these attempts have met with failure. There is a new one going in now at Gateway and is being managed by Harry Brown, who up until about 9 months ago was employed by us at Uravan as a draftsman. It is reported that Harry Brown is being backed by his father and has

raised \$20,000 with which to install a 20 ton plant which will be designed to produce fused oxide. He intends to make the roaster from original designs, and it is evident additional funds will be necessary. The ore will be obtained from Polar Mesa and from the deposits on the other side of the Dolores River in the vicinity of Gateway. There are a number of small, high-grade deposits in this locality.

[fol. 146] Probably the best of the outside resources are in southeastern Utah around Blanding and in Dry Valley. Last year, as a result of our investigations, we considered that we should purchase additional property in that locality, and \$200,000 was put into the original 1938 Budget to cover these purchases. Due to poor business conditions however, it was not thought desirable to pursue recommendations for this purpose. We will renew this request in the 1939 Budget.

We have already purchased two or three groups of claims which were potential producers and could be the nucleus of an operation. The intensive development daring the past year has made it more imperative to continue this policy, and it now appears that we should purchase some properties and possibly install a small plant in southeastern Utah to forestall serious competition. A definite recommendation will be made on this as soon as the field work has been finished.

Very truly yours,

J. R. Van Fleet/mm IC [fol. 147]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 36

[Handwritten notations-V/P-Custom Ore]

United States Vanadium Corp.

New York, N. Y.

December 24, 1941

Mr. J. E. Weston United States Vanadium Corporation Urayan, Colorado

Mr. Blair Burwell Mr. A. H. Coleman

#### AIR MAIL

#### Dear Joe:

Yesterday Mr. Kett of the Vanadium Corporation of America called up to protest against some attempt on our part to take a customer away.

The story is that you went to one Lyen, operating in the Cedar district, offering him \$2.00 per ton above the established rate, which he in turn reported to the Vanadium Corporation of America, Knowing nothing of the circumstances surrounding the case, or of Lyen either, I advised Mr. Kett that I would look into the matter.

Will you kindly give me the details of this case.

With kind regards, and with best wishes to yourself and Mrs. Weston for a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I am

Yours very truly,

AF/W. G. Haldane IC [fol. 148]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 37

[Western Union Form]

[Handwritten notations—Mrs. Teddy—1944—EMT—Also Durango Plant Purchase—Also N. Continental-Winters.]

WUG208 38=GRAND JUNCTION COLO FEB 29 1111A W G HALDANE=

BROCK ADVISES THAT BRINKER WITH SITTON AND OTHER PROMOTERS ARE REPORTED TO BE PLANNING TO TAKE THE DURANGO PLANT IN CASE WE DO NOT RECAPTURE IT STOP THIS IS RUMOR ONLY BUT SUGGEST YOU ADVISE MR RAFFERTY REGARDS=

BLAIR BURWELL.148P

[fol. 149]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 40

[Letterhead of Continental Ore Company, New York 18, N. Y.]

November 16, 1943

The Vanadium Corporation of America Graybar Building 420 Lexington Avenue New York, N. Y.

Attention: Mr. G. Laub

Gentlemen:

Re: Vanadium Pentoxide

We would appreciate your offering us:

10,000 to 15,000 lbs. of V2O5 contained in vanadic acid, per month.

We would be ready to sign a contract with you for a fixed length of time.

Very truly yours,

CONTINENTAL ORE COMPANY

/s/ HENRY J. LEIR Henry J. Leir

hjl/hc

[Stamp—Received—Nov 17 1943—G. L.]

[fol. 150]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 41

[Letterhead of Vanadium Corporation of America, New York 17, New York]

November 19, 1943

Continental Ore Company 500 Fifth Avenue New York 18, New York

Attention: Mr. Henry J. Leir

Gentlemen:

RE: VANADIUM PENTOXIDE

In response to your inquiry of November 16th requesting quotation on 10,000 to 15,000 pounds monthly of  $V_2O_5$  contained in Vanadic Acid, we regret very much that due to our present commitments we are not in position to take on this additional tonnage at the present time.

Perhaps if you are still interested at a later date and our situation changes, we will be glad to look into the matter further at that time.

Regretting our inability to be of service to you at this time, we are

Very truly yours,

/s/ Gustav Laub
Assistant Vice President

[fol. 151]

### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 42

November 30, 1943

Electro Metallurgical Sales Corp. 30 East 42nd Street New York, N. Y.

Attention: Mr. T. F. O'Heir

Gentlemen:

Re: Vanadium Pentoxide

We have not as yet received a reply from you to our letter of November 17, of which we enclose a copy since the original may have gone astray.

We would very much appreciate hearing from you regarding this matter at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

CONTINENTAL ORE COMPANY

Henry J. Leir

hjl/he Enc. [fol. 152]

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November 17, 1943

Electro Metallurgical Sales Corp. 30 East 42nd Street New York, N. Y.

Attention: Mr. T. F. O'Heir

Gentlemen:

Re: Vanadium Pentoxide

We would appreciate your offering us:

10,000 to 15,000 lbs. of V2O5 contained in fused vanadic acid, per month.

We would be ready to sign a contract with you for a fixed length of time.

Very truly yours,

CONTINENTAL ORE COMPANY

Henry J. Leir

hjl/sk

[fol. 153]
[Letterhead of Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation,
New York 17, N. Y.]

November 30, 1943

Continental Ore Company 500 Fifth Avenue New York 18, New York

Attention: Mr. Henry J. Leir

#### Gentlemen:

Referring to your inquiry for fused vanadium oxide, in view of the many uncertainties prevailing at the present time we do not feel that we should undertake supplying your regular requirements for this material.

Very truly yours,

ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION
By: /s/ W. E. REMMERS

W.E.Remmers:JC

[fol. 154]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 43

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The Secretary submitted Appropriation Request No. SMP-3, dated July 6, 1939, in the amount of \$7,000. to cover the estimated cost of Air Separator Table Installation at the Piney River plant of the Southern Mineral Products Corporation. After discussion, on motion regularly moved, seconded and carried, it was unanimously

RESOLVED, that Request for Appropriation No. SMP-3, in the amount of \$7,000. covering the estimated cost of Air Separator Table Installation at the Piney River, Va. plant of the Southern Mineral Products Corporation, be and is hereby approved, as recommended by the President.

The President advised that certain claims of the Vanadium Corporation of America located in Colorado were adjacent to claims of the United States Vanadium Corporation and that in view of the present mining operations of the United States Vanadium Corporation, said corporation is willing to mine and mill the ore on one particular claim, namely, the "Maggie C", or any other claim or claims that might later be agreed upon, delivering the product therefrom (oxide containing a minimum V2O5 content of 85%) to our Bridgeville, Pa. plant at a delivered price to be accepted if satisfactory to the Vanadium Corporation of America. He requested authority to enter into an agreement that would provide for the delivery of such ore at an agreed upon price. After a general discussion, on motion regularly moved, seconded and unanimously carried. the President was authorized to enter into an agreement, as outlined above, with the United States Vanadium Corporation.

After a general discussion of the affairs of the Corporation and business conditions, on motion regularly moved, seconded and carried, the meeting thereupon adjourned.

[Signature illegible] Secretary [fol. 155]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 57

#### VANADIUM BEARING RAW MATERIAL

Following are the figures covering exports of contained vanadium in ore for the years 1935-1939 inclusive.

#### PERUVIAN ORE

Year		High Grade Mix	Low Grade Ore	Total
1935	Lbs. "V"	163,551		163,551
1936	44	424,947		424,947
1937	**	590,823	635,667	1,226,490
1938	**	926,930	838,096	1,765,026
1939	**	963,547	1,309,504	2,273,051
Totals		3,069,798	2,783,267	5,853,065

The low grade ore is shipped as taken from the ground. The shipments in 1937 consisted of mined Veta Madre ore and averaged approximately 6.5% vanadium and the cost delivered at Bridgeville was \$.39 per lb. contained vanadium.

Shipments made in 1938 and 1939 consisted of Oxide ore from the dumps at Mina Ragra and averaged around 5% in vanadium and the cost delivered at Bridgeville was \$.445 per lb. contained vanadium in ore.

The high grade mix consists of a mixture of precipitates and tailings or low grade oxide ore or of all three. In 1935 and 1936 all shipping mixture consisted of a mix of precipitates and tailings. In 1937 and 1938 the mixture was precipitates, tailings and oxide ore. In 1939 the mixture was precipitates and low grade oxide ore. The preparation of each in the mix is one part of precipitates to two parts of either tailings or low grade ore by weight. As an example—

1 part precipitates	37%	37
2 parts ore or tailing	gs 3%	6
3 parts		43
Average of mix		14.3%

Over the five-year period the cost of delivering this material to Bridgeville was \$.59 per lb. vanadium contained. In the years 1936 to 1937 inclusive, when practically all the material used for mixing was tailings, the average cost was approximately \$.58 per lb. vanadium contained in mix. delivered Bridgeville. In 1938 the mixture contained both tailings and oxide ore, low grade, and was delivered to Bridgeville at a cost of approximately \$.615 per lb. contained vanadium in mixture. In 1939 the mix consisted of precipitates and oxide ore, low grade only, and the delivered price was the same as in 1938, i.e. \$.615 per lb. contained vanadium in mix. Inasmuch as the oxide ore was taken from stock piles and not mined, when it is found necessary to mine oxide ore from the mine the cost will increase approximately \$.05 to \$.06 per lb. of contained vanadium delivered Bridgeville.

### [fol. 156] PURCHASED V2O5

During the period from 1932 to 1939 the following purchases of pentoxide were made:

1932	3,956	lbs.	$V^2O^5$
1933	216,412	44	44
1934	483,202	44	66
1935	495,428	46	44
1936	360,401	66	66
1937	540,785	66	44
1938	147,552	46	44
1939	577,849	44	46
	2,825,585	66	46

The above purchased material was consumed as follows:

	1932-1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939
Ferro-vanadium Pentoxide	398,366	472,395	410,288	540,784	70,319	560,527
Air Dried		35,084				
Grainal Sales-Domestic		59,401	600			7,793
Sales-Export Miscellaneous		96,121 127	86,350		0.104	45,294
Totals	398,366	$\frac{127}{663,128}$	$\frac{669}{497,907}$	-10.704	2,164	
Totals	000,000	005,125	491,901	540,784	72,483	613,755
				In. 10	/91 /40	2,786,423
				Inv. 12/31/40		39,162
						2,825,585

Purchases from 1932 to 1936 were made to meet our demands for product which could not be filled from our Peruvian mine due to proving out a leaching process on our pilot plant there and the necessary time required to transfer the results from the 15-ton pilot plant to the 50-ton commercial plant and bring the 50-ton plant to commercial operating basis.

In 1937 and 1939 purchases were made to meet our commitments which were beyond our operating capacity at Bridgeville.

From 1932 to 1938 inclusive, purchases were on a straight purchase order basis at a price of \$.80 per lb. V<sup>2</sup>O<sup>5</sup> contained, delivered Bridgeville. From June 30, 1939, deliveries were made under agreement for a delivery of ore by Vanadium Corporation of America to United States Vanadium as per contract, and an additional processing charge of \$.65 per lb. V<sup>2</sup>O<sup>5</sup> contained, delivered Bridgeville. This price was increased to \$.75 for 1940 deliveries.

P.J.G. 4/4/40 [fol. 157]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 59-A

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The Colorado Plateau was the only area in the United States actually producing uranium. Production came from low-grade carnotite ore mined primarily for vanadium, with uranium recovered as by-product. During the war the Manhattan District financed the construction and operation of two plants for the extraction of uranium from tailings of Colorado vanadium plants and also purchased uranium concentrates produced as a by-product from the vanadium operations. Following the war it was tentatively decided by the Manhattan District to purchase only by-product uranium rather than to stimulate and support increased production by special incentives. "This position was based on the fact that the known uranium reserves of the Colorado Plateau were limited and expensive to mine and process and that the only advantage of an accelerated program would be to make this limited supply available sooner. Since the estimated annual production of the Colorado Plateau, even under an accelerated program, would be small in relation to total U.S. requirements and to supplies availal'e from foreign sources, it appeared more economical to obtain the uranium as a by-product from vanadium operations which were geared to the vanadium market. The quantity of vanadium produced is much greater than the quantity of pranium recovered from these operations.

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[fol. 158]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 62

SPECIAL REPORT GUSTAV LAUB

February 20, 1942

#### APEX SMELTING COMPANY Chicago, Illinois

Mr. Edward S. Christiansen-Vice Pres.

Mr. Christiansen, Vice President of the above company, whom I have known slightly for sometime, called on me stating that they have decided to go out of the Vanadium business and that they had certain equipment and some small stock of Oxide on hand that they would like to dispose of if we were interested.

He did not have an actual list of the equipment nor of the raw materials they have on hand but from the figures he had it looked as though they have close to 50,000 pounds of Vanadium Pentoxide containing between 78/87% V205 and about 40,000 to 50,000 pounds of Magnesite.

I told him that we might be interested in the Vanadium Oxide and possibly the Magnesite and some of the equipment which included jaw crushers and miscellaneous equipment. He promised to obtain from their Chicago office an actual complete list of the equipment they have to offer as well as the quantities and grades of Vanadium Oxide and Magnesite and to deliver these to me the early part of next week. I told him that I would then refer this to the proper parties of our company and that we would probably be interested in the Vanadium Oxide and the Magnesite if their prices were right. He stated that they would be reasonable in their prices and did not expect to make a profit.

Mr. Christiansen further stated that they had been contemplating going out of the Vanadium business for sometime and their definite decision was reached for two reasons. First, that they had a fire in this department of their plant and secondly, that the sales contract which they had with Mr. Leir, President of the Continental Ore Corporation had not worked out very well. Mr. Leir was getting a fifty percent cut on the profits. Mr. Christiansen also stated that they had some agreements with the Shattuck Chemical Company and Niley & Smith for deliveries of Vanadium Oxide and that he would also look into this and advise us of the status thereof.

GL:ESW

[fol. 159]

#### VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Boulder, Colorado April 22, 1942.

FROM Robert Sterling, Manager

To Mr. Frederick F. Kett, Gen'l Manager Mining Division, N. Y.

SUBJECT Your Letter of April 20th.

Kimmerle Report — — As long as this matter has come up in the way it has, I think Kimmerly should be put on the spot to prove his statements. Such things do go on, whether at our plants or not, and it generally involves collusion between someone in the plant and some outsider. It would really go hard with them, if anything could be proved. However, all that can be left until you come out.

Sale of Ore to Balsley — There was some doubt in my mind about selling small lots to Balsley except on a cash-on-the-barrel-head basis. Even then, no matter what he promised, I think there would be interminable delay in getting the cash—as, always, in the past. I assume that if any high grade comes into Monti-

cello, it should be held and eventually transferred to Naturita for shipment from there with any carload of slimes that may be accumulated? In fact any high grade produced at the Yellow Bird may as well go direct to Naturita, and so save transferring it later on? They might run into another "Tree" at any time.

Dry Valley Claims — — I have no doubt that the matter of the whereabouts of all the claims in Dry Valley will be cleared up in the course of time, and that there is really nothing to worry about, except to see that the Affidavits of Annual Assessment Work are filed. That is, of course, up to the Moly Corporation, or U.S.V. and can, as you say, be checked up at the Monticello (not Moab) court house. The claims are all in San Juan County.

Property Deals — — — It is my intention, of course, to advise and consult with you on any property deals. It seems to me the present arrangement should save you a lot of grief and letter writing, as I imagine you have plenty to do without being bothered with something that can be handled perfectly well out here with out troubling you.

[fol. 160] That \$100.00 was paid on an option on the so-called Hyde claims belonging to Mrs. Hyde and two of her nephews, and which we have been trying to line up ever since last fall. These claims join the Happy Jack, the workings of which are getting pretty close to them. The \$100.00 was for 90 day option then \$1,000 down, then \$500.00 in 90 days, and the balance on a 10% royalty—total price \$6,000.00, I have asked Garard for copies of the option.

I have just received from Blitz, copies of the contract he has negotiated with the Waggoners on 15 claims on Carpenter mesa. You have a copy of his letter of April 20th, on the subject. In case he did not send you a copy of the contract, one is enclosed herewith. I shall sign and return them today.

Blitz is very sure there is \$3,000.00 worth of positive ore and that we are more than safe in buying them on the terms set out in the contract.

Apex Smelting Co. — — It is nice to know that we won't have to worry about them after July 1st.

Norwood Bridge - - As you know, the needed steel is to be rolled this month.

However, there isn't a chance of the bridge being in place before the high water comes and goes; so we shall just have to pray for the best. The Highway Department seems to be prepared to replace the old one, if necessary.

Moab Bridge — — — Garard went to Salt Lake and got the Highway Department there to allow a 20-ton load over this bridge. As most of the heavier stuff has already passed over, the 20-ton load should see us through, until the bridge is strengthened. One would think they could get the necessary priority for the needed steel.

Navajo Indian Reservation I agree with you, as I said in my letter of April 17th, that there would be no need of tying up more ground on the reservation, until we have found something worth getting. I think then, we could get anything within reason. Garard has established a camp at Tec-nes-pah, having in some way secured the CCC Camp for nothing, and has three or four men prospecting.

[fol. 161]

[Handwritten notation-Cont'l Ore Corp.]

#### VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION

DATE March 14, 1942 FROM Gustav Laub

TO Mr. E. D. Bransome, President
SUBJECT APEX SMELTING COMPANY
Chicago, Illinois

Inasmuch as the following information has been conveyed verbally this memorandum therefore is for our records.

With reference to the writer's memorandum of February 20th advising that Mr. Christiansen, Vice President of the above company, had informed us that they were going out of the Vanadium business and had offered us their stocks of Vanadium ray materials, equipment, etc. as I had not heard further from Mr. Christiansen in this regard I had Larry Johnson casually contact him by phone and tell him that I had not received the information that he promised to send.

As a result, Mr. Christiansen phoned the writer and stated that in going into the matter further they had run into some legal difficulties. Mr. Leir, President of the Continental Ore Corporation, with whom Apex has an agreement to furnish their entire production of Vanadium, he acting as sales agent, objected strenuously to their breaching their contract and upon referring the matter to their counsel Apex were advised that Mr. Leir had a strong case against them and to make the most satisfactory arrangement with Mr. Leir that they could.

This resulted, Mr. Christiansen advised, in Mr. Leir putting a proposition up to them in that they would produce Vanadium at full capacity for a period of three months after which time he would take over their equipment and raw materials contracts and produce the material himself.

Mr. Christiansen therefore advised that they felt they would be obligated to produce at maximum capacity for a period of three months and had decided to proceed on this basis but that they had not come to a definite conclusion about turning over the equipment and raw materials contracts after that time. The contract with Mr. Leir, he said, extended over the balance of the calendar year.

In event that the second part of Mr. Leir's proposition does not go through Mr. Christiansen stated that they still proposed to offer us such raw materials as they have available as well as plant equipment.

The above information, at your suggestion, was conveyed by phone to Mr. E. K. Jenekes, Assistant Chief, Vanadium Branch, War Production Board,

GL:ESW

[fol. 162]

SPECIAL REPORT GUSTAV LAUB

April 14, 1942

#### APEX SMELTING COMPANY Chicago, Illinois

Mr. Edward S. Christiansen-Vice President

With reference to the writer's previous report of February 20th, Mr. Christiansen of the above company called again yesterday stating that they had now gotten their Vanadium situation straightened out and that they had definitely concluded to dismantle their Vanadium plant at once and go out of the Vanadium business permanently. The equipment from their plant is now for sale. He doubted whether there would be much of the equipment that might interest us but said that the list of same would be sent to us promptly.

Mr. Christiansen stated that they had finally been able to come to an agreement with Mr. Leir of the Continental Ore Corporation, with whom they had a 14 year contract, to cancel the same. By doing so it was necessary for them, he said, to produce only enough Ferro Vanadium to complete two open orders which Mr. Leir had on his books and to continue producing Vanex (a mixture of Oxide and Aluminum which they have been supplying) up through June after which time they would be completely out of the Vanadium picture. Mr. Christiansen further stated that their contract and dealings with Mr. Leir had not proven at all satisfactory to them and that they regretted ever having gone into the business.

He further stated that he would furnish us with the names of all of their suppliers of Ores and Oxide; the principal ones apparently being Shattuck Chemical Company, and Nisley & Wilson. He appeared to be most anxious that we obtain these raw materials rather than the possibility of Mr. Leir's getting them and continuing in the Vanadium business.

We had an interesting discussion concerning low copper grained aluminum which they produce and release with necessary priority approval and I therefore turned him over to our Purchasing Department with regard to this item.

G. L.

EWC

[fol. 163]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 63

March 11, 1940

Vanadium Corporation of America 490 Lexington Avenue New York, N. Y.

#### Gentlemen:

Please be good enough to let us have your very best price on quantity lots of Vanadium Pentoxide crushed to 1/4" and under. We desire this material for domestic consumption.

Your immediate response will be very much appreciated.

Very truly yours,
APEX SMELTING CO.

L. Lippa

LL:JB Airmail

[fol. 164]

April 8, 1940

Vanadium Corporation of America, 490 Lexington Avenue, New York, N. Y.

#### Gentlemen:

We enclose copy of letter written to you on March 11, to which we do not seem to have received a reply.

This, no doubt, has been overlooked and we would appreciate hearing from you.

Very truly yours,
APEX SMELTING CO.

L. Lippa.

Encl. LL/r [fol. 165]

[Letterhead of Vanadium Corporation of America, New York, N. Y.]

April 20th 1940

[Stamp—Received—Apr 23 '40—1:30 PM—Apex Smelting Co.]

Apex Smelting Co. 2537 W. Taylor Street Chicago, Illinois

Attention: Mr. L. Lippa

Gentlemen :-

In response to your letter of April 8th enclosing copy of your letter of March 11th, which apparently went astray, would advise that our position is such that we have no material to offer you at present.

Yours very truly,

GL:IL

/s/ Gustav Laub Assistant Vice President [fol. 166]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 75

[Western Union Form]

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VB468 NL=GRAND JUNCTION COLO 13 CONTINENTAL ORE CO= 500 FIFTH AVE NYK=

WE CANNOT PURCHASE ORE 32 CENTS VANADIUM CONTAINED AND SELL FOR 110. AM SENDING COPY OF TELEGRAM TO HATCH. QUOTE REUR-YOU STATE 52 CENTS IS CONTENT BASIS AND TRANSFER COST IS 20 CENTS, GRANTED BUT WHEN ORE IS MILLED A PERCENTAGE OF VALUES ARE LOST IN TAILINGS. ADD THE COST OF THESE VALUES TO 20 CENTS AND WE STILL WISH TO KNOW DIFFERENCE BETWEEN IT AND OUR OFFER OF 26 CENTS. COST OF 32 CENTS CON-TEXT BASIS MAKES OUR RECOVERED VANADIUM COST 46 CENTS PER POUND WHICH WE CANNOT STAND. DURANGO WOULD HAVE A SIMILAR LOSS AND A RAISE IN COSTS THEREFROM WHETHER [fol. 167] FIGURED AS ADDITIONAL ORE COST AS WE DO OR ADDITIONAL MILLING COST AS YOU ARE APPARENTLY DOING. CONCERNING TAIL-INGS ARMY HAS PLANT URAVAN RECOVERING VALUES TAILINGS MUCH CLOSER TO GATEWAY. WE HAVE TRIED TO GET RID OF 1500 TONS OUR OLD TAILINGS CARRYING HIGHER VANADIUM URANIUM CONTENTS THAN MRC OR URAVANS. WE CANNOT SELL THEM SO FAR AT EVEN ONE DOLLAR PER TON. WE QUESTION VALUE OF TAIL-INGS AT PRESENT UNDER SUCH CIRCUMSTANCES WE KNOW EXIST. WE SEE NO CURTAILMENT PROGRAM TAKING PLACE OTHER THAN SHUT-TING DOWN OUR PLANT WITH A NEW MRC OP-ERATION AT RIFLE, CONTINUED OPERATION ALL

OTHER MRC PLANTS, CONTINUATION OF ORE PURCHASES AND ORE CONTRACTS. IT SEEMS TO [fol. 168] US DEFINITELY AND CLEARLY USV AS AGENTS ARE USING WPB CONTROL TO COM-PLETELY MONOPOLIZE THE VANADIUM INDUS-TRY. AS AGENTS THEY HAVE OUR ORE SUPPLY UNDER CONTRACT: AS AGENTS THEY KNOW OUR PRESENT OPERATING COSTS AND KNOW WE CAN-NOT OPERATE AT AN ORE COST OF 46 CENTS; AS AGENTS USV USED CURTAILMENT PROGRAM TO STOP OUR OPERATION AHEAD OF ANY OTHER PLANTS INCLUDING MRC PLANTS. WE RECEIVED NO DIRECTIVE FROM EITHER WPB OR MRC. WE WERE FORCED OUT OF PRIVATE PRODUCTION IN-TO MRC PROGRAM IF WE WISHED TO CONTINUE BUSINESS, THE THEORY BEING THAT THE MRC PROGRAM WAS NECESSARY FOR THE WAR EF-FORT. NOW THE AGENTS ARE CONTINUING THEIR PROGRAM OF COMPLETELY MONOPOLIZ-ING THE INDUSTRY WITH THE AID OF THE WPB AND MRC REGULATIONS. IF THIS IS NOT THE [fol. 169] CASE WHY SHOULD WE BE THE FIRST AND ONLY PLANT TO BE SHUT DOWN, WHY SHOULD WE BE THE ONLY PLANT PENALIZED BY THE MRC AND WPB PROGRAM. IF THERE IS NO FURTHER JUSTIFICATION FOR PRODUCING VA-NADIUM IN EXCESS OF REQUIREMENTS WHY ARE NOT GOVERNMENT PLANTS CLOSED FIRST IN-STEAD OF PRIVATE OWNED PLANTS AND ESPE-CIALLY WHY ISNT THE PURCHASE OF ORE STOPPED. WE REALIZE THAT WE ARE SMALL PRODUCERS NOT APPRECIABLY AFFECTING VA-NADIUM PRODUCTION AS A WHOLE YET OUR LITTLE BUSINESS IS GOING PART OF THE AMER-ICA WE ARE FIGHTING FOR. IF THE USV IS GOING [fol. 170] TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THESE WAR CONDITIONS TOGETHER WITH MRC AND WPB AID TO COMPLETELY MONOPOLIZE THE INDUSTRY AND FORCE ALL OTHERS TO DISCONTINUE BUSI-NESS IT MAKES US WONDER JUST WHAT OUR BOYS ARE FIGHTING FOR=

NISLEY AND WILSON VANADIUM MILL.

[fol. 171]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 76

#### NISLEY & WILSON VANADIUM MILL

GATEWAY, COLORADO

January 31, 1944

Mr Henry J Leir Continental Ore Company New York, New York.

#### Dear Mr Leir:

As you know, Mr Gardner, Mr Wilson and myself are owners and operators of the Gateway plant. Mr Gardner has the old plant, and Mr Wilson and myself have added considerable new equipment and have been operating under a contract with Mr Gardner.

Since the curtailment of Vanadium production and the lessing need for it, I have been called to the service. This will affect our contract with Mr Gardner. Since the plant cannot be operated at the present time, and it doesn't look as if it could for quite sometime, we are going to have to sell either our interest in the plant, or dismantle it. Since I must leave shortly, we are going to have to act quickly.

We are all very sorry to have to discontinue, but we see no other way out at present. Mr Gardner has taken an active interest in the operation and has helped us in getting our problems straightened out. The local M.R.C. told us that the mill had made a very good extraction, in fact better than some of the others under the M.R.C. The cake was of good quality. We had a very satisfactory operation during December, especially.

The big mill at Uravan was closed down last Sat night and they are letting a number of their men go. Their other

plants are still operating full blast however. We do not believe that they will ever let the price of the crude ore adjust wo where we could operate at \$1.10 again, at least for quite some time.

Concerning our bill with you, we will get things straightened out shortly and send you a check. We would like to have you also include the amount we owe you for this year so it can all be straightened out at once.

We want you to know we sincerely appreciate ail you have done for us in the past. We have never had business dealings with anyone who has treated us any finer than you and we really do appreciate your cooperation and help. We sincerely wish we could continue to do business with you.

Sincerely yours,

/s/ FRANK NISLEY JR.

[fol. 172]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 77

June 14, 1941

Mr. C. G. Roser Electro Metallurgical Company 30 East 42nd Street New York City

Dear Mr. Roser:

RE: VANADIC ACID

Please let us have your offer of the above material for shipment to the Apex Smelting Company, of Chicago.

Yours very truly,

CONTINENTAL ORE CORPORATION

President

Henry J. Leir/re

[fol. 173] Electro Metallurgical Company 30 East 42nd Street New York City June 16, 1941

Attention: Mr. F. P. Gormely, General Manager

Gentlemen:

As you know, the Apex Smelting Company of Chicago has been in the aluminum smelting business for more than 20 years.

Last year they entered into the production of certain ferro alloys by the alumino-thermic process, and have created good facilities for this particular manufacture which, if necessary, could be easily enlarged.

Would you be interested in "farming out" a certain quantity of vanadic acid, and allow us to convert it for your account into low carbon ferro vanadium?

We shall be awaiting the pleasure of your reply to the above suggestion, and hold ourselves at your disposal for any personal discussion you might like to have on this subject.

Yours very truly,

CONTINENTAL ORE CORPORATION

President

Henry J. Leir/re

[fol. 174]

[Letterhead of Electro Metallurgical Company, New York, New York]

July 31, 1941

Mr. Henry J. Leir, President Continental Ore Corporation 500 Fifth Avenue New York City, N. Y.

#### Dear Sir:

Please pardon the delay in replying to your letter of June 16 asking if we would be interested in having you convert a certain quantity of vanadic acid for our account into low carbon ferro vanadium.

I have reviewed this matter several times with my associates and find that we are at the moment able to smelt all the vanadic acid which we have available. Should this situation change we will be glad to get in touch with you but see no prospects at the moment that we would be interested in your proposal.

Very truly yours,

ELECTRO METALLURGICAL COMPANY

/s/ F. P. Gormely Vice-President and General Manager

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[fol. 175]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 78

#### VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION

DATE Feb. 14, 1947

FROM P. J. Gibbons, Executive Vice President

то Mr. J. B. Girdler, Asst. Gen. Mgr. of Sales

SUBJECT Continental Ore Co. Inquiry

With reference to letter from the Continental Ore Co. dated Feb. 11, 1947, in which they advise they would be interested in one minimum carload per month of vanadium pentoxide for delivery commencing with April and through July 1947, after study of existing commitments for this commodity and the sales estimate supplied to me by the Sales Department covering the current year we find our entire production capacity will be taken up for the year 1947.

However, it is possible that we may be able to supply a car during the period mentioned if we were called upon for it but at this time we could not guarantee even that amount.

/s/ P. J. Gibbons
Executive Vice President

February 24, 1947

[fol. 176] Continental Ore Company 500 Fifth Avenue New York-18-New York

Attention: Mr. Joel A. Mirel

#### Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of February 11, 1947 with respect to contracting for one carload per month of Black Vanadium Oxide, Fused, beginning in April and through July, 1947, i.e. four carloads, after reviewing our existing commitments for this commodity and estimated sales, we believe that we will be able to take care of these four carloads if delivery is extended over a six months' period beginning with April, 1947.

Our present contract price for Fused Black Vanadium Oxide is

\$1.10 per pound contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>

F.O.B. seller's works, Bridgeville, Pennsylvania, with freight charges allowed to destination, unless such freight charges are in excess of the rate to St. Louis, Missouri. In such case, freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

The above price will be in effect until March 31, 1947 and thereafter for each calendar quarter-year unless revised in writing by us at least fifteen days prior to such quarter-year.

This offer, which is subject to our usual contract terms, is subject to acceptance by execution of our formal contract on or before March 15, 1947, so would ask that you advise us promptly whether or not you are interested in having us submit our contract to cover the tonnage above mentioned.

Very truly yours,

John B. Girdler Assistant General Manager of Sales

JBG:DEW

[fol. 177]

#### CONTINENTAL ORE COMPANY 500 FIFTH AVENUE NEW YORK 18, N. Y.

March 7, 1947

Vanadium Corporation of America Graybar Building 420 Lexington Avenue New York 17, New York

> Att: Mr. John B. Girdler Re: Black Vanadium Oxide

#### Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated February 24, in which you submit us your proposal for four carloads of Black Vanadium Oxide at the contract price of \$1.10 per pound contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> f.o.b. your works, Bridgeville, Pennsylvania with freight charges allowed to destination, unless such freight charges are in excess of the rate to St. Louis, Missouri. In such case freight charges to St. Louis will be allowed.

We have submitted your proposal to our buyers and have been informed that our price is out of line with current market offerings. From what we have been able to ascertain in our subsequent discussions, the oxide would have to be made available to us around \$1.00 to \$1.05 in order to permit doing the business. We would thank you to give consideration to a revision in your price to conform with the price indicated above as we believe prospects appear favorable for doing the business at our indicated figure.

Very truly yours,

CONTINENTAL ORE COMPANY

/s/ JOEL A. MIREL J. A. Mirel

JAM/vi

[Stamp-Mar. 10, 1947-Sales Dept.]

[fol. 178]

[Stamp—To WAM $\sqrt{-GL}\sqrt{-JBG}\sqrt{-JHM}\sqrt{-RHF}\sqrt{-AJS}\sqrt{-Return to JBG}$ ]

[Handwritten notation-file]

March 13, 1947

Continental Ore Company 500 Fifth Avenue New York 18, New York

Attention: Mr. J. A. Mirel

#### Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of March 7 relative to our offer to sell Black Vanadium Oxide Fused, we regret that you are not interested in our proposal for the sale of this material at \$1.10 per pound contained V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> as quoted in our letter of February 24.

We are not prepared at this time to consider making a reduction in our current prices.

Very truly yours,

John B. Girdler Assistant General Manager of Sales

JBG:HK

[fol. 179]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 111

[Letterhead of Climax Molybdenum Company, New York, New York]

February 10, 1943

Mr. Henry J. Leir, President Continental Ore Company 500 Fifth Avenue New York, N. Y.

Subject: Ferrovanadium

#### Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of February 8th we herewith submit to you, in duplicate, the following contract offer with the understanding that your acceptance at the place designated therefor at the bottom hereof shall constitute a mitual binding agreement between us, our successors and ins.

- You will ship to us at Langeloth, Pennsylvania, freight prepaid, 20,000 pounds of contained V in a V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> concentrate, to which you now have title.
- 2) You will ship to us adequate low copper aluminum to make it possible for us to produce ferrovanadium from the  $V_2O_5$ .
- 3) We shall convert the V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> into ferrovanadium, using our own labor, equipment and supervision.
- 4) We shall pack and deliver to you, f.o.b. Langeloth, Pennsylvania, into suitable fiber containers, all of the ferrovanadium produced as a result of this operation.
- 5) You will pay to us the following amounts:

- a—Twenty cents (20¢) for each pound of vanadium contained in the ferro-vanadium returned to you.
- b—Costs of fluxing materials necessary, such as lime and fluorspar.
- e-Costs of containers and labor for packing such ferrovanadium.
- d—It is understood that we shall pursue this matter with all diligence but do not guarantee any specific delivery date nor a minimum percentage recovery. The usual Force Majeure clause will apply to this agreement. We expect to complete this program during the month of March 1943.

Kindly return to us the duplicate of this contract after you have executed same.

Very truly yours

CLIMAX MOLYBDENUM COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA

> /s/ A. Linz Arthur Linz Vice President

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ACCEPTED:

CONTINENTAL ORE COMPANY

By ...... President.

[fol. 180]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 113

[Handwritten notation—WPB]

#### WAR PRODUCTION BOARD WASHINGTON, D. C. November 10, 1943

IN REPLY REFER TO:

F-A EFH 1013-SSB

Mr. W. G. Haldane Assistant General Superintendent United States Vanadium Corporation 30 East 42nd Street New York, New York

Dear Mr. Haldane:

This is to acknowledge your letter of October 29th requesting that the restrictions placed upon vanadium immediately be removed in accordance with the expressions of opinion at the Vanadium Industry Advisory Committee Meeting held on October 25, 1943.

I should also like to reiterate the understanding reached at the meeting that in view of present supply-demand situation in vanadium all requests, implied or otherwise, to maintain maximum production have been withdrawn insofar as vanadium, itself, is concerned.

The Ferro-Alloys Branch of the Steel Division has started the procedure to remove vanadium from allocation as requested by the Vanadium Industry Advisory Committee. We are unable to advise you what disposition will be made of this matter, but hope that favorable action will be taken in the near future. With respect to the further

recommendations by the Committee, these have been referred to the proper authorities for consideration.

Very truly yours,

/s/ E. Franklin Hatch E. Franklin Hatch Assistant Chief Ferro-Alloys Branch

[fol. 181]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 114

[Letterhead of Imperial Paper and Color Corporation, Glens Falls, N. Y.]

DECEMBER 5, 1944.

Continental Ore Company, 500 Fifth Avenue, New York 18, N. Y.

Attention-Mr. M. Wolf

Gentlemen:-

Replying to your letter of December 4th, we are writing to advise you that we are not willing to write a letter such as you suggest at this time, because it might be construed as a representation that would involve an obligation that we do not care to assume. It is true that with the manpower situation as it is, we could not proceed with the Vanadium project, aside from all other considerations, but it is also true that if the manpower situation were easier, we would have to have more confirmation than we have been able so far to obtain that there are, and always will be, ample sources of vanadium-bearing material, so that if we invested capital in a plant, we would not sooner or later find ourselves with equipment idle, because of being unable to secure necessary raw materials.

We now have some leads out to see what we can determine as to the probable operation of the Otavi mines after the cessation of hostilities in Europe. Mr. Leir on his proposed trip to Mexico ought to be able to establish whether there is a new source of vanadium-bearing ore available in that country, and if so, in what quantities and in what concentrations.

As we see this situation at the present time, one of the principal hazards in entering into the manufacture of  $V_*O_*$  is the possibility that you may not be able to get sufficient raw material. Certainly the two major producers at this time have protected themselves against such a contingency by controlling primary sources of raw material. We would not be willing at the outset at least to make an investment of the size necessary to do this, but nevertheless we must be sure that there are sources from whom we can always obtain vanadium-bearing materials at a price which will enable us to manufacture and compete with those who control their own supplies.

Yours very truly,

IMPERIAL PAPER AND COLOR CORPORATION

/s/ A. F. Brown General Manager Pigment Color Division

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[fol. 182]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### Plaintiffs' Exhibit No. 116

February 19, 1943

File: Stimmel

U.S. Vanadium

Vanadium Corporation of America

Nisley & Wilson

Stimmel confirmed that present production of ferro vanadium amounts to about

400,000 lbs. V per month

They are trying to build up a stock pile of ferro to the extent of at least 500,000 lbs. of V. Once this is achieved, they may release their restrictions as to the sale of ferrovanadium somewhat.

Regarding quantities of vanadium concentrates available in Durango or Monticello for shipment to us, Stimmel said that it has been agreed between Metals Reserve and U.S. Vanadium and Vanadium Corp. respectively that

U.S. Vanadium has first call on all material produced in Durango Vanadium Corp. of America has first call on all material produced in Monticello.

As to who would have first call on the vanadium concentrates produced by Nisley & Wilson, Stimmel answered that probably no one would have. It therefore must be our aim to have Metals Reserve recognize our first right on the production at Gateway.

mw/sk

[fol. 183]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 127

[Handwritten notations -9-486-124-dash]

[Stamp—Received—Apex Smelting Co.—Jan 14 1942—8:30 A.M.]

CONTINENTAL ORE CORPORATION

TO Apex Smelting Company

SUBJECT RE: NISLEY & WILSON VANADIUM/ SHATTUCK

> DATE 1/13/42

Attention: Mr. L. Lippa

We are very sorry to learn from your correspondence that Blanding has sold its output to Vanadium Corp.

This makes it even more imperative that you promptly write to Nisley & Wilson to ship the material now ready to you without further delay.

We also want to stress the necessity of sending the proposed letter out to the Vanadium Corp. It becomes more and more necessary every day to obtain a share from them, of the output of the new Government plant in Monticello, and we cannot pave the way for this too early.

Regarding SHATTUCK, we suggest that you approach them and offer them a contract for larger monthly quantities than they have at present from you, in order to induce them to increase their output.

We consider this most important, since they are now the only regular source of Vanadium we have.

CONTINENTAL ORE CORPORATION

/s/ HENRY J. LEIR

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Henry J. Leir/rk

[fol. 184]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 128

#### CONTINENTAL ORE CORP Room 1717 500 FIFTH AVE

[Western Union Form]

OCTOBER 17 1940

APEX SMELTING COMPANY 2537 WEST TAYLOR STREET CHICAGO ILL

## BEFORE WRITING VANADIUM CORPORATION PLEASE AWAIT OUR TODAYS LETTER

#### CONTINENTAL ORE CORPORATION

[fol. 185]

[Letterhead of Apex Smelting Co., Chicago, III.]
October 17, 1940

Continental Ore Corporation, 500 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y.

#### Gentlemen:

We have your letter of the 16th, also wire of the 17th, and wish to advise that we had no intentions of writing the Vanadium Corporation in view of he fact that we did write to them about two months ago, at which time they advised us that they did not have any of this material to offer.

The Electro Metallurgical's representative was in our office today at which time we men ioned this to him, and while he advised that their price was \$1.15, he said they could not take on any new accounts.

We wish to advise that it is possible we may receive a shipment of approximately 4000 = of Vanadic Acid from Shattuck within the next few weeks. The price will be \$1.10.

We have just checked up our figures on the heat made to Braeburn Steel, and according to our figures the profit to us is \$25.00 after deducting your commission but before paying the freight. Therefore, it would indicate that the profit on this heat will be about \$15.00.

Our cost figures will be sent to you on this 70 to 80% grade as soon as we get our 40% figures together.

We, therefore, want to again state that we do not want to accept any orders under \$2.75; in fact we feel that for this grade there should be no difficulty in obtaining \$2.80, and we hope that you will act accordingly.

Very truly yours,

APEX SMELTING Co.

L. Lippa L. Lippa.

LL/r

[fol. 186]

#### Plaintiffs' Exhibit No. 135

August 17, 1942

Vitro Manufacturing Co. Corliss Station Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Gentlemen:

Att: Mr. A.J. Strod, Sales Manager

Re: VANADIC ACID

We refer to our recent correspondence regarding the above and would like to know whether you are now in a position to supply us with some of your vanadic acid.

We are open for any quantity between five and fifteen thousand pounds per month and wish to inform you that our price schedule of June 1 (see our letter of June 30) is still in force.

May we hear from you soon?

Very truly yours

CONTINENTAL ORE CORPORATION

Martin Wolf

mw:sk

[fol. 187]

[Letterhead of The Vitro Manufacturing Company, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania]

August 19, 1942

Continental Ore Corporation 500 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

Attention: Mr. Martin Wolf

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge with thanks receipt of your two letters of August 17.

VANADIC ACID. Present arrangements covering decliveries of our entire production of Vanadic Acid would not permit us the sale of this material in other directions. The arrangements are made for a long term, and so for some time, we will not be able to furnish any Vanadium compound to outside users.

WULFENITE. The sample of Wulfenite you recently sent us is now in the process of investigation; and as soon as we have the data together on the possibilities of the separation of the Molybdenum and Vanadium, we will immediately contact you. The process is rather involved and it will take us a little time before a practical conclusion can be arrived at. Wulfenite appears to be a useful product, and we will make every effort to work out a scheme for separating the useful materials contained.

Yours very truly,

THE VITRO MANUFACTURING COMPANY

/s/ A. J. Strod, Vice President

AJS:BAP

[fol. 188]

# IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 142

May 25, 1938

Mr. Robert E. Adams 1436 Ute Ave. Grand Junction Colorado

Dear Sir:

Re: Carnotite ores and Vanadium concentrates

We are indebted for your address to the Bureau of Mines, Washington, D. C. and would like to know your position in regard to selling us the above materials which we intend to buy regularly.

As we are an independent firm, you may be interested in entering into such a relationship with us.

We will be very glad to hear from you on this matter, and remain

Very truly yours,

APEX SMELTING Co.

L. Lippa

LL:JB

[fol. 189]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 145

[Stamp—Received—Apex Smelting Co.—Dec 26 1941—8:30 A.M.]

[-Letterhead of Defense Plant Corporation, Washington, D. C.]

December 20, 1941

Mr. L. Lippa The Apex Smelting Company 2537 W. Taylor Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Lippa:

Reference is made to your letter of December 13, 1941, requesting information as to the possibility of acquiring reasonable tonnage of Vanadium Pentoxide for conversion into Ferro Vanadium.

This Corporation has made a commitment to the Vanadium Corporation of America for the construction of a new plant near Monticello, Utah, for the production of Vanadium Pentoxide. The entire facilities of this plant will be leased to the Vanadium Corporation, and, therefore, it is suggested that you contact them with reference to obtaining a portion of the output of this proposed plant.

It is further suggested that if you have not already obtained a priority allocation for Vanadium Pentoxide that you contact Mr. H. K. Masters, Office of Production Management, Social Security Building, Washington, D. C., relative to obtaining such allocation.

[Handwritten notation—Last paragraph struck through and signed W. Boyer]

Yours very truly,

/s/ JOHN W. SNYDER
Executive Vice President

[fol. 190]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 147

# UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORP. AGENT METALS RESERVE CO. GRAND JUNCTION, COLO.

9/17/43

#### Dear Page:

Please ask Cecil to stop at Thompsons when ever convenient to do some welding on their reversible conveyor.

Before Bill Lass went to Dove Creek I told him 96¢ per hr. was all we could pay a blacksmith. He understand, I'll speak to him again when I see him; I know he is tops and I hope he can stay on with us.

Blanding hasn't pd us on the Howell-Bay compressor. [fol. 191] I'll remind them. I'm haven't heard from Charlie or Mr. Cuchingham. Have they been there.

I've been trying to call P Denny about the ore prices. No Connections.

I wonder if anything could be gained by meeting with Denny and Mr. Brannsome about the Ore Prices?

I'll try and get the Chandler-Shumway deal out to you to-morrow.

Regards,

/s/ John

[fol. 192]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 148

Inter-Company Correspondence
COMPANY U.S.V.-M.R.C. LOCATION Monticello, Utah.

To Mr. John W. Hill,

LOCATION Grand Junction, Colorado.

DATE February 4, 1944.

[Handwritten notation—Sent to Monticello]

#### Dear John:

M. L. Nielson was in today and said that he had not received a contract cancelation. He appeared to feel slighted in the matter. I told him his contract would apply to the notice on the bulletin board. However, it might be well to send him a formal cancelation as we have with the rest of the producers in the country.

Wade & Curran were were in today, not to see me, but to see Mr. Bransome and Denny. They were quite put out regarding the whole matter and said they did not feel that their contract was subject to cancelation. Mr. Bransome is familiar with our general form and if their contract is on one of our O.P.A. forms Mr. Bransome felt that there was no question that the contract is automatically canceled when we stop receiving ore. Evidently their next move is to see Dan Melinskie in Cortez.

All of this to merely keep you posted as to your friend's activities.

Sincerely,

/s/ Page Page Edwards.

E-h.

Personal

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 152

#### CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT Made and executed this 7th day of May, 1940, by and between MESA VANADIUM COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Colorado, with its principal office located in Grand Junction, Colorado, party of the first part, and the UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with its principal Colorado office located at Urayan, Colorado, party of the second part, WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, The first party is the owner under contract of purchase of a certain mill located near Cedar, Colorado, and is desirous of arranging for the operation of the said mill for the treatment of carnotite ores; and

WHEREAS, Second party is interested in the possibilities of the use of said mill for the milling of carnotite ores;.

NOW, THEREFORE, In consideration of the mutual covenants of the parties and the payments to be made by the second party to the first party, the first party grants unto the second party the sole right to enter upon the said property for the period of sixty days from the date of this agreement, to make such examination and experimental work as it may deem fit and to conduct such metallurgical test work or operation as second party deems sufficient or necessary.

It is agreed that the second party has the option on or before the expiration of said sixty-day period to operate said mill and to make such alterations and additions at its expense as are necessary, and otherwise to conduct the business of the reduction of ore or ores therein; and the right so to do is hereby granted.

[fol. 194] In the event that second party shall exercise its option to operate, it agrees to pay the first party a

sum equal to ten cents per lb. of vanadium pentoxide pro-

duced as a result of said operation.

Second party agrees that in the event it exercises its option to operate first party's mill, second party will pay all cost of operation, including the costs of ores delivered at the plant, working men's compensation, insurance premium on mill buildings to a total insured value of \$6000.00, and will pay such taxes as may be assessed against the property during the period in which the mill is operated; and second party further agrees to pay the sum of \$4000.00 to first party at the time second party exercises the option to oper, s, which sum is to apply on the royalty of ten cents per lb. of vanadium pentoxide produced as herein provided; and second party agrees that in the event it shall operate said plant, it will operate the same to the maximum capacity that is reasonably possible.

It is further provided, however, that in the event second party shall exercise said option to operate, and shall thereafter fail to operate the property for a period of thirty days and this failure is not due to flood, fire or act of God, the first party may at its option terminate the tenancy of second party upon written notice to be given second party at Uravan, Colorado, which notice shall provide, however, that second party shall have a thirty-day period after the receipt of notice to correct second party's deficiency.

It is further agreed that in the event the second party after operating said property decides the operation should not be continued for reasons which are good and sufficient to itself and of which reasons second party shall be the sole judge, then the mill of first party shall revert to first party and any additions and improvements that have been made to the mill shall become the property of the first party as liquidated damage.

[fol. 195] It is further agreed that if after the period of sixty days' examination hereinbefore provided, the second party shall option not to operate the mill, the second party shall have the right to purchase from first party such ore or ores as may be delivered or stockpiled at the mill at a price to be determined as follows, to-wit: The price shall be the cost to first party or to second party acting as agent for the purchase of the ores, plus five cents per lb. of 75%

of the vanadium pentoxide contained; and it is further agreed that in the event the second party elects to purchase such ores at the end of the sixty-day period for examination and experimental work, it agrees to pay first party the sum of \$4000.00, which amount shall be applied as an advance payment on the royalty of five cents per lb. for 75% of the vanadium pentoxide contained in these ores.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF The parties have hereunto set their hands and seals by their officers and agents first authorized so to do.

Mesa Vanadium Company

By /s/ Coe VanDeren

President

[SEAL]

/s/ Charles H. Buttolph Secretary

First Party

UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION
By /s/ W. G. HALDANE

[Signature illegible]

Second Party

[fol. 196]

#### CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT Made and executed this 7th day of May, 1940, by and between MESA VANADIUM COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Colorado, with its principal office located in Grand Junction, Colorado, party of the first part, and the UNITED STATES VANADIUM CORPORATION, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of Delaware, with its principal Colorado office located at Uravan, Colorado, party of the second part, WITNESS-ETH:

That first party is the owner of a certain mining lease and option dated August 5, 1939, together with an addenda to mining lease and option dated April 22, 1940, executed with one George A. McKee, covering carnotite claims in San Miguel and Montrose Counties, Colorado, and is desirous of selling ore which it has a right to obtain or mine under the said lease and option; and the party of the second part is desirous of purchasing the said ores from the first party;

NOW, THEREFORE, In consideration of the mutual agreements of the parties and the payments to be made by second party, IT IS AGREED:

First party will deliver to second party at the mine such ores as may be mined or delivered from said claims at a price to be determined as follows:

A. In case the ores are mined by George A. McKee under the terms of the lease and option above referred to, the price of the ore shall be the amount to be paid by first party to George A. McKee, plus a further consideration of 5¢ per lb. for 75% of the vanadium pentoxide (V2O5) contained in said ore.

B. In case the ores are mined by the first party, or by its agents or lessees, the price shall be the entire cost of mining and transportation to the delivery point specified in the said McKee lease and option, plus a royalty of 10% of the value of the ore thus delivered; and said values are determined as set forth in the McKee lease and option in regard to the initial 1000 tons mined, i. e.;

[fol. 197] For ores containing between 2 and 3% vanadium pentoxide (V2O5) \$8.00 per net dry ton;

For ores containing between 3 and 4% vanadium pentoxide (V2O5) \$15.00 per net dry ton;

For ores containing between 4 and 5% vanadium pentoxide (V2O5) \$21.00 per net dry ton;

For ores containing between 5 and 6% vanadium pentoxide (V2O5) \$32.00 per net dry ton;

And for ores bearing over 6% vanadium pentoxide (V2O5) as set forth in said McKee lease and option.

It is understood and agreed that the above mentioned 10% royalty is payable to George A. McKee under the terms of a recent option between George A. McKee and first party as assignee of Charles H. Buttolph.

Second party agrees to pay first party in addition an amount equal to 5¢ per lb. for 75% of the contained vanadium pentoxide in said ore.

The party of the second part agrees to purchase said ores at the rate of production, provided for in the above mentioned lease and option with George A. McKee, unless this agreement is terminated as hereinafter provided.

The party of the second part agrees to pay the first party \$1000.00 upon the execution of this agreement and an additional \$5000.00 at the end of ninety days, said payments to be applied on royalties as hereinafter provided; that is to say, said \$6000.00 shall be advance payment against the royalty of 5¢ per lb. of 75% of the contained vanadium.

The party of the second part reserves the right to cancel this agreement at any time within the life of the McKee lease and option; provided that, in the event of such cancellation, any amounts or difference between the \$6000.00 paid by second party to first party and the amount which is due first party on the basis of 5¢ per lb. of 75% of vanadium contained shall become the property of the first party in full liquidation of any loss or damage arising out of the

cancellation of this agreement by second party.

It is understood and agreed that second party shall have

It is understood and agreed that second party shall have the option to mine and remove ores, under the terms of the lease and option granted by George A. McKee, as the agent [fol. 198] or representative and in the place of first party; and in the event that second party shall exercise this option to mine and remove ores, it shall carry Workmen's Compensation on all employees and keep the property free from lien or encumbrance, and shall in addition perform such work as may be required for annual assessment on said McKee claims, and cause affidavits thereof to be filed as provided by law, pay before delinquent any current taxes

levied against said claims, and in all other respects preserve the claims as provided for in the said lease and option executed between George A. McKee and first party as assignee of Charles H. Buttolph.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF The parties have hereunto set their hands and seals by their officers and agents first authorized so to do.

Mesa Vanadium Company

By /s/ Coe VanDeren

President

/s/ Charles H. Buttolph Secretary

First Party

UN	ITED	STATES	VANADIU M	Corporation
By	*****		*****************	*******
Second	Par	ty		

[fol. 199]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 155

[Handwritten notation—Mr. Haldane]

COPY

New York, N. Y. October 13, 1943.

#### E. M. SALES CORPORATION

Mr. J. D. Swain,

Room 1712, Bldg.

Mr. J. H. Critchett Mr. F. P. Gormely Mr. J. M. Price Mr. J. R. Van Fleet

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#### Dear Mr. Swain:

The net result of our discussion in Washington on the subject of vanadium and tungsten during the past week may be stated as follows:

A meeting of the Industry Advisory Committee is scheduled for 2 PM, October 25th to approve certain proposals that will be presented at such time, (since WPB had already discussed this date with others, it was impossible to have the meeting called for an earlier date.) The purpose of the meeting will be:

- to rescind the directive requiring vanadium producers to mine to the fullest extent of their capacity.
- 2. to propose the removal of ferrovanadium, ferrotungsten, tungsten ore, vanadium oxide and tungsten metal powder from an allocation basis. (Steps are being taken by WPB in anticipation of this meeting to have these allocations removed. It is estimated by WPB that allocations may be no longer required by December 1st.)

- 3. to make recommendations to be passed on by the Steel Division of WPB for any extended applications of vanadium which producers may feel are justified. (The Vanadium Branch has solicited the assistance of the producers in making these recommendations, which may be a rather difficult assignment for the producer should the Steel Branch ask for specific applications.)
- 4. to receive a report from the Army concerning the minimum requirements of vanadium production that are necessary to supply their needs of by-product. The vanadium oxide producers will be asked the same question; namely, the minimum production to which they can go without curtailing Army needs. WPB proposes that if industrial requirements are substantially less than the necessary production for Army needs they would ask the Army to purchase the surplus oxide for a stockpile of their own. Mr. Lewis Levansaler who replaced Mr. E. F. Hatch as the vanadium and tungsten ore man in WPB made an i... formal comment at luncheon that in his opinion it was necessary to curtail vanadium oxide production to such a point where it would be necessary to begin working away a portion of the huge accumulation of oxide and ferrovanadium each month.) It was generally agreed that the net result from satisfactory action taken on items 2 and 3 would not affect to any great extent the present sales of vanadium or tungsten.

The present order requiring that not more than 35% of the sales of high speed steel be in the form of 18-4-1 tungsten type and not less than 65% of the sales of any one producer be in the form of molybdenum type steel will probably be brought up for discussion at this meeting. The Industry Advisory Committee will probably be asked for an expression of opinion and perhaps a recommendation for a modification or discontinuance of this order.

[fol. 200] The details of a lend-lease order for Russia specifying 200 gross tons of 70/80% "B" grade ferrovanadium were discussed. We quoted a price of \$2.90 per pound of contained vanadium F.O.B. Niagara Falls, N. Y., with freight charges allowed to destination, except to those

points taking a freight rate in excess of the Niagara Falls to St. Louis, Missouri rate, for each of the following comnositions:

OSITIONS !	50,600	¿ Vanadium	70 80	¿ Vanadium
Aluminum	1.25%	maximum	1.25%	maximum
Silicon			2.00%	**
Carbon			.20%	
Phosphorus			.10%	**
Sulphur			.10%	**

WPB was advised that delivery could be expedited through the specification of the 50/60% grade because such analysis is in regular production. We also advised them that should the order become available to us within the next week or ten days we could produce approximately 100 gross tons by December 31, 1943. WPB plans to divide the total order between our competitors and ourselves on the basis of our respective production of vanadium during the past three or possibly six months.

We have learned that our competitors have advised WPB that they wish to dispose of, through government agencies, 250,000 pounds of contained vanadium in the form of ferro between now and the end of this year. In response to a similar question asked of us, I replied that I could not give them specific figures offhand, but I estimated that we too would like to move from 200,000 to 250,000 pounds of contained vanadium. I returned to WPBsat the close of the Production Adjustment Committee meeting and learned that they had approved the 200 ton lend-lease requirement, and in addition had approved an additional sale of ferrovanadium by us to the Metals Reserve Company to complete a total of approximately 225,000 pounds of contained vanadium prior to the end of this year. Presenting this matter to the Committee was done by Mr. Miles K. Smith on his own initiative in order to clear the "first hurdle", so he described it, on any request for additional orders for ferrovanadium from Metals Reserve prior to the end of this year. It will be necessary for us to apply formally should we wish to sell any additional vanadium to Metals Reserve. We plan to withhold any formal application for an order until such time when we have more specific information as to the portion of the lend-lease requirements which may be directed our way.

Very truly yours,

W. B. REMMERS

[fol. 201]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 156

[Stamp—Received—Apex Smelting Co.—Nov 22 1941—8:30 AM]

DANIEL MILENSKI Attorney-at-Law Cortez, Colorado

Nov. 19, 1941

Apex Smelting Co. 2537 W. Taylor Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Sir:

- 6.

Upon my return, I find that Bigler has sauntered off to Denver to see a football game, he will return Saturday.

As we pay a royalty to the owner of the claims, I have advised him of your offer, and will undoubtedly hear from him by the first of the week.

The product that we have ready for shipment is moulded, not ground. We would much prefer not grinding it as it will take additional equipment which we are not particularly anxious buy. However we might make some arrangements to grind it if absolutely necessary.

We particularly like the sound of that \$1.05.

With best regards,

/s/ DAN MILENSKI

[fol. 202]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 159

[Stamp—Received—Apex Smelting Co.—Feb (day illegible) 1942—8:30 AM]

## BLANDING MINES COMPANY

Mail Address:
P. O. Box 895
Cortez, Colorado

February 23, 1942

Apex Smelting Co. 2537 West Taylor St. Chicago, Illinois

#### Gentlemen:

We have your wire of February 14 and letter confirming the wire. No report was made at an earlier date for the reason that we were endeavoring to become more familiar with the situation.

As we take the letter we received from the War Department, we are not directed to sell our product to you, and as previously advised, other arrangements have been made for the sale of our product and we have informed the War Production Board that we desire to continue with our present sales arrangement.

We regret that we are unable to sell our product to you; however, you are aware of our set-up and the fact that we are merely operating under a lease. We are producing now under somewhat of a handicap for the reason of adverse climatic conditions with result of poor roads.

#### Very truly yours

BLANDING MINES COMPANY

By /s/ L. Eaton Ass't Secretary [fol. 203]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 161

[Stamp—Received at 420 Lexington Ave. N. Y.—MOhawk 4-0950]

[Postal Telegraph Form]

#### NA46 55 VIA FRENCH=PARIS OCT 4 1939 1010A

LC BRANSOME VANCORAM NEWYORK US (BRANSOME, CARE VANADIUM CORP OF AMA FURTHER YOUR CABLE TWENTYSEVENTH STOP BEING LONDON LAST WEK HAVE RECEIVED PROPOSAL FROM REPRESENTATIVES UNION CARBIDE FOR HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND POUNDS VANADIUM PENTOXYD STOP WOULD YOU ARRANGE IN ACCORD WITH SHEATH TO SECURE FIRM THAT QUANTITY SHIPMENT OCTOBER NOVEMBER STOP ARE NOW ARRANGING CREDIT STOP KINDLY CABLE CONFIRMATION=

#### JAOUL ELECTROCHIMIE=

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[Stamp—Answer required—Please Ring Postal Telegraph]

[fol. 204]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 163

[Handwritten notation-Accounting Information 29]

Charge to the account of VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA MOHAWK 4-3580

[Western Union Cablegram Form]

NEW YORK NOVEMBER 8, 1939

TROCHIM PARIS

TWO ADDITIONAL LOTS PENTONIDE PREPARED FOR SHIPMENT STOP FIRST LOT GROSS FIFTY. TWO SEVEN EIGHTY EIGHT NET FORTYNINE SIX EIGHTY CONTAINED PENTOXIDE FORTYFIVE THOUSAND VALUE FIFTYNINE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED EIGHTY SEVEN DOLLARS CREDIT AC-COUNT VANCORAM SECOND LOT GROSS FIFTY. THREE EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY NET FIFTYONE FIVE HUNDRED EIGHTY FIVE CONTAINED FORTY. FIVE THOUSAND VALUE FIFTYNINE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED SIXTY FOUR DOLLARS CREDIT ACCOUNT ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES COR-PORATION STOP INCUDES ALL CHARGES EXCEPT WAR RISK INSURANCE STOP RECOMMEND CRED-ITS BE ARRANGED EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE UNDERSTAND FREIGHT RATE INCREASE NOVEM-BE THIRTEENTH

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VANCORAM

[fol. 205]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 164

[Letterhead of Vanadium Corporation of America, New York, New York]

[Stamp-Via Air Mail]

Nov. 9, 1939

Societe d'Electro Chimie, 10 Rue du General Foy, Paris, France.

Attention: Mr. Andre Jaoul

#### Gentlemen:

In connection with your cable of October 10, 1939, confirming your needs of pentoxide contained in the amount of 150,000 lbs. contained, we cabled you as follows:

Oct. 13, 1939

"Re Cable October Tenth Shipment Pentoxide Sixtyseven Steel Drums Gross Thirtyfive Thousand Four Hundred Thirtysix Pounds Net Thirtythree Thousand Five Hundred Pounds Value Forty Thousand Dollars Including All Charges Except War Risk Insurance Stop Rush Credit Guaranty Trust New York Expect Ship October Twentyeight Steamship Independence Hall United States Lines"

Oct. 20, 1939

"Second October Shipment Three Hundred Bags Vanadium Pentoxide Gross Thirty Five Nine Ninety Five Net Thirty F ur Four Ninety Five Value Exclusive War Risk Insurance Forty Thousand Dollars Letter of Credit Should Specify War Risk Insurance Covered By You Stop Open Credit Covering This Shipment to Account Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation Stop Have Received No Advise Credit Account Vancoram per our Cable Thirteenth Im-

perative Credits be Arranged Quickly if Shipments Are to Leave October"

Nov. 8, 1939

"Two Additional Lots Pentoxide Prepared for Shipment First Lot Gross Fiftytwo Seven-Eighty Eight Net Fortynine Six Eighty Contained Pentoxide Fortyfive Thousand Value Fiftynine Thousand Four Hundred Eighty Seven Dollars Credit Account Vancoram Second Lot Gross Fiftythree Eight Hundred Thirty Net Fiftyone Five Hundred Eighty Five Contained Fortyfive Thousand Value Fiftynine Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Four Dollars Credit Account Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation Stop Includes All Charges Except War Risk Insurance Stop Recommend Credits be Arranged Earliest Possible Date Understand Freight Rate Increase November Thirteenth"

[fol. 206] As you will note from the above cables, we now have prepared and ready for shipment in our warehouse 75,000 lbs. of contained pentoxide and Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation have the same amount prepared and in their warehouse ready for shipment.

We were rather disappointed that the credit for the first 30,000 lot, which you advised on October 24th should be forthcoming within the week, did not come to hand and thus enable us to get this first lot off during the month of October. As we advised in the cable of November 8th, our information is that freight rates will be increased on or about November 13th. If this should take place, it will be necessary to have additional credit arranged to take care of the increased freight rate. We trust, however, that in accordance with our recommendation in our cable of November 8th, that permits and credits will be forthcoming in time for us to take advantage of the present rates in obtaining shipping space.

We would appreciate anything that may be done to rush the required credits in order to release the 150,000 lbs. of contained pentoxide which we and the Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation have ready and jointly holding earmarked for you.

To date we have had no formal confirmation by mail from you covering your cable of October 10th.

With kindest personal regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

/s/ G

Secretary and Treasurer.

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P.S. Since writing the above, credit to cover the first shipment of 30,000 lbs, contained pentoxide, in the amount of \$40,000, has been received. Shipment will go forward on the earliest possible boat.

[fol. 207]

IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 165

Charge to the account of VANADIUM CORP. OF AMERICA MOHAWK 4-3580 \$15

[Western Union Cablegram Form]

NEW YORK DECEMBER 14, 1939

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PAINVIN TROCHIM PARIS

YOUR CABLE TENTH ARRANGE CREDIT COVER FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS PENTOXIDE CONTAINED AMOUNT ABOUT SIX HUNDRED TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS STOP ABOUT THREE HUNDRED TEN THOUSAND ACCOUNT EACH ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION AND VANCORAM STOP FORTYFIVE THOUSAND POUNDS PENTOXIDE CONTAINED DUE TO LEAVE NEWYORK DECEMBER TWENTYSIXTH STEAMSHIP ADAMAS COMPLETING VANCORAM PORTION FIRST ORDER

VANCORAM BRANSOME

[fol. 208]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 166

Via Airmail-copy regular mail

March 28, 1940

Mr. G. J. Painvin, Societe d'Electro-Chimie, 10, Rue du General Foy, Paris, France.

Dear Mr. Painvin:

Your letter of February 19 finally arrived today, which is rather a record, I believe, in speedy transmission of the mails and, according to the marks on the envelope, it did not leave Paris until February 28. However, I assume these are necessary delays which none of us can complain of under the present circumstances.

I am afraid that you have misunderstood my cables and letters in respect to the situation on  $V_2O_5$ .

At no time has the situation been easy in the supplying of either Ferro or Pentoxide. Up until the present date, we have been required, in order to keep our inventories up to a reasonable figure, to refuse to sell a great many people who have had firm orders in one hand and cash in the other and were willing to pay practically any price that we asked. As a matter of fact, for domestic consumption and what we did sell for export required us at one time to ship practically hot metal.

Our position is a little better now, but one that would speedily be uncomfortable should one large order for Ferro or Pentoxide come in from abroad or from this country.

As you probably know, we are in close touch with the Government on any Critical or Strategical materials and have ascured them that we would not sell abroad any quantities of our alloys that might jeopardize the position of our country in the event of an emergency.

In respect to some materials, the only way that we could supply them would be to have the raw materials shipped from abroad and have us process in transit, thus preserving our existing stocks of such raw materials. I can't say that I am entirely in sympathy with this procedure, but, nevertheless, it is there and must be observed.

The prices for export are still the same, namely, \$3.70 per pound for Ferro and \$1.70 for Oxide. These prices make for people trying to buy domestic and sell export, but I am happy to say that we seem to have this phase under very good control and if any shipments do get away from us they are very small ones. The good part of this program is that as long as we can control our shipments, [fol. 209] speculation by individuals is prevented and, as I said before, we are only selling to our regular domestic customers.

I am taking up your time and going into detail on this as I want you to clearly understand that it is our desire to take care of you and your requirements of any materials we have in excess of domestic requirements if you will let us know as far in advance as possible and on the same basis as our last shipments provided the export price remains the same. In short, I cannot promise that we will be in a position to ship Ferro or Oxide within a short period of time if the request comes without warning.

I feel certain that you will understand that I am not trying to build up any business for ourselves by alarming you as to the supply of Vanadium. If we had loosened up in our policy in selling certain brokers here, our supply of Vanadium would have been taken up for months to come and I think we are still in that position.

So much for business.

The news we get from your side of the water is so varied that even after a lengthy study and sifting of pseudo facts we are always in the state of bewilderment. It leaves us only with the hope that things go well with you and that we will receive favorable news.

I hope this finds you well and that same applies to your entire family.

With my very best regards to you and Jaoul, I am

Sincerely,

/s/ E. D. B.

EDB/C

[fol. 210]

#### IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

#### PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 171

#### VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA INTER-OFFICE COMMUNICATION

то D. W. Viles, Mine Supt. Monticello, Utah

DATE May 25, 1943

FROM E. D. Bransome, President

SUBJECT PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

It occurred to me that the thing we want to do is to have our trial on the 1400 tons of roscoelite made as quickly as possible at Durango and I can not recall how long you said it would take to make delivery, that is, provided we discussed that point.

With the above objective in view, it seems to me that you might be able to arrange with Johnny Hill and Page Edwards the shipment of some of our roscoelite ore at Naturita, even though we had to absorb the trucking, inasmuch as if it is desired to move the Naturita pile, the sooner we do it the better.

If trucks are going back empty for Fall Creek and Omega, it would seem that the main expense we would be subject to would be the loading.

You probably have already thought of this, but if not, I think it might be arranged with Johnny and Page in such a manner that would not prejudice any future price that we might get from Naturita.

Will you let me hear from you as to what you think of this idea?

E. D. Bransome

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#### INTERROGATORY NO. 33

#### UNION CARBIDE AND CARBON CORPORATION AND SURBIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED

STATEMENT OF NET SALES, TOTAL COST OF NET SALES, AND FROFIT BEFORE PROVISION FOR FEDERAL INCOME AND EXCESS PROFITS TAXES FERTAINING TO VANADIUM, UTANIUM, AND THEIR RESPECTIVE COMPOUNDS FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 1. 1933 TO AND INCLUDING DECEMBER 31. 1947.

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1937	1,824,303.62	1,277,845.22	546,458.40 🚆 👨
1938	1,700,554.31	944,248.46	765,305.05
1939	2,500,137.30	1,098,322.39	1,407,316.91
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1943	5,461,433.72	4,753,997.17	707,436.55
1944	3,896,339.95	2,83,831.09	1,002,953.86
1945	2,605,263.62	1,971,411.00	634,452.62
1946	2,270,037.07	2,444,002.20	173,973.13
1947	4,302,154.03	3,152,633.31	1,149,465.77

#### EXHIBIT IX

YEARLY TOTAL COST (INCLUDING PROPORTION OF GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AND SULLING PXPENEY) OF ALL VANADIUM AND URANIUM PRODUCTS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE COMPOUNDS AND TOTAL VALUE OF SALES REALIZED THEREFROM - YEARS 1933 - 1947

Year	Total Cost	Fales Value
1933	81,389,983	(1,235,641
1934	1,546,518	1,502,004
1935	1,348,118	1,523,689
1936	1,655,717	2,198,957
1937	2,129,574	3,157,734
1938	11,576,871	2,569,591
1939	2,951,519	4,879,016
1940	3,063,910	5,054,587
1941	4,620,153	7,680,178
1942	6,320,550	8,574,993
1943	2,443,468	3,996.464
1944	5,306,279	6,886,049
1945	3,235,019	3,992,324
1946	2,133,027	2,407,177
1947	3,850,330	4,267,850

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### ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION

#### CARBIDE AND CARBON BUILDING, NEW YORK

BISTRIBUTORS "ELECTROMET" PERROALLOYS AND OTHER ELECTRO-METALLURGICAL PRODUCTS BALDS AGENTS

E. J. LAVING & COMPANY, BULLITT BUILDING, PHILADELPHIA

MICKMAN, WILLIAMS & COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI, CHICAGO, ST. LOUIS, DETROIT, CLEVELAND, NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA CONTRACT No. H-10870

MEMORANDUM OF SALE

September 15th, 1933

FLECTED METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION A CORPORATION OF NEW YORK HERESY AGREES TO SELL AND

New York, N. Y. Vanadium Corporation of America

A minimum of 1,000,000 pounds but not over a maximum of 1,250,000 pounds QUANTITY

to be so taken.

Vanadium Pentoxide (Young) - Specifications as per letter attached. MATERIAL

> Eighty Cents (80¢) per pound of V205, f.o.b. cars, seller's works or warehouses, with freight charges allowed to Bridgeville, Pa., surcharge for buyer's account.

Not cash tenth of month following date of invoice. TERMS

In equal monthly quantities from date to December 31, 1934 inclusive.

See letter attached which is pursuant to and part of this contract.

\* Payments to be made in U. S. gold coin or its equivalent in currency with exchange on New York. Each delivery to constitute a separate independent contract and to be governed by the terms hereof. Works' tests of the Manufacturer of said material to govern settlements

All agreements of the Seller herein are subject to and contingent upon strikes, riot, war, commandeering or requisitioning or allotting to others in priority to the Buyer by the Government, invasion, fire, explosion, accident, delays in procuring sufficient and suitable raw materials, curtailment or failure in obtaining sufficient electrical power, delays of carriers, and/or other delays beyond the reasonable control of the seller and/or the Manufacturer, affecting either the Seller and/or the Manufacturer of such ferro-alloy. PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that in case of and upon the happening of any such event whereby the total output of the Manufacturer's plants of ferro-alloys and/or other products which the said plants are or may be then engaged in producing, is curtailed, or a portion or all of said output is commandeered or requisitioned or allotted to others in priority to the Buyer by the Government, then the Seller shall use its best efforts to fairly and equitably pro rate any ferro-alloys, which may be produced at said plants and which are not commandeered or requisitioned or allotted to others in priority to the Buyer by the Government, between the Buyer and its other customers of ferro-alloys under contracts, on the basis of the respective minimum monthly tonnages of

Vanadium Pentoxide (V205) - Specifications as per letter attached.

PRICE

Righty Cents (80%) per pound of V205, f.o.b. cars, seller's works or warehouses, with freight charges allowed to Bridgeville, Pa., surcharge for buyer's account.

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No change in or addition to the terms or provisions hereof shall be made unless approved by an executive officer of the Seller in writing Whenever the Seller shall have any doubt about the Buyer's responsibility, it may decline to make further deliveries hereunder until the Buyer shall have satisfied the Seller of his responsibility or shall have paid for such further deliveries in advance.

If freight is allowed hereunder it is based on present existing freight rates and if such freight rates vary up or down on any shipments made hereunder the price of such shipments shall be increased or decreased as the case may be by the respective amounts of such freight increase or decrease. If any excise tax is now or hereafter imposed upon the Seller, resulting from sale or delivery under this agreement, the Buyer shall also pay the amount thereof to the Seller.

If the Buyer fails to make payments or commits any other default under the terms of this or any other contract between the parties hereto and such failure or default shall continue after notice thereof from the Seller to the Buyer, then the Seller shall have the right, at its option, without further notice, either to defer any further deliveries hereunder or to stop any shipments in transit hereunder or to cancel or terminate such contract or contracts; and no waiver by the Seller of its right to take advantage of any such failure or default shall stop the Seller to insist on its strict rights in case of and as to any subsequent failure or default.

After the Buyer has accepted same, to render this instrument binding upon Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation, it must be approved in writing by an executive officer of said Corporation.

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VANADIUM CORPORATION OF AMERICA

ev Machine President

BY SALES AGENTS

APPROVED:

SALES AGENTS

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IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT

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SUPER BUILDING, PITTSBURGH, PA.

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## ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION

UNIT OF UNION CARBIDE TEL AND CARBON CORPORATION

DISTRIBUTORS "ELECTROMET" SAME

FERRO-ALLOYS AND OTHER ELECTRO-METALLURGICAL PRODUCTS

CARBIDE AND CARBON BUILDING

MASARA WORKS, MASARA PALLS, H.Y. KANAWHA WORKS, OLEN PERRIS, W VA. VIRSINIA WORKS, MOLEOMS ROCK, VA.

30 EAST 42ND STREET

**NEW YORK** 

September 15, 1953.

IL B!

Mr. A. A. Corey, Jr., President, Vanadium Corporation of America, 120 Broadway, New York City.

Dear Mr. Corey:

This letter is pursuant to and part of the attached contract N-10670, dated September 15, 1935, calling for a minimum of 1,000,000 pounds but not over a maximum of 1,250,000 pounds of vanadium pentoxide.

This oxide will analyze from 85% to 90% VgO5 and the typical analysis will be the same as outlined in our letter to you of November 10, 1931, which is as follows:

#### Typical Analysis

V205	86.5%	8	0.40%
P	0.015%	N1	Trace
Cu	0.015%	NagO	10.00%
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As	Trace	Insoluables	1.00%

#### Impurities are the following maximum percentages:

P	0.025	,	N1	Trace
Cu	0.02%		Na <sub>2</sub> O	12.00%
As	Trace		Insoluables	2.50%
S	0.7%			

To agree to furnish you not over half of the total tonnage with a sulphur content of between 0.40% and 0.70% and not under one-half with a sulphur content of maximum 0.40%.

The minimum of 1,000,000 pounds is to be taken out by December 31, 1934. If the additional 250,000 pounds making up the maximum is required, the expiration cate will be extended to April 1, 1935, although the buyer has the privilege of taking the maximum tonnage from date to December 51, 1934.

It is uncorretered that the buyer will return the bags to the soller free of charge, the soller paying the return freight charges.

The coller will formich the buyer with emplyons of each batch shipped at the time of chigment, which will be the original analysis determined at the time the material was position.

In the event buyer's analysis of any batch differs from analysis furniched by soller, buyer will impdictely notify seller and will segregate sold natorial for further compliance. Soller will exempts with buyer to jointly sample sold natorial and from the comple obtained any portion will be analyzed by the buyer, one by the soller and a third portion will be retained for analysis by Ledoux & Company as empire chamles in the event buyer and soller are unable to agree on their results obtained from the joint sample.

The buyer and soller, in their respective laboratories, will analyse their portion of the joint sample, and, if the results obtained by each laboratory are in close agreement with the analysis on which the material was billed, no adjustment will be made.

In the event of a wide discrepancy in the results obtained by the respective laboratories on said scaple or in the event of a dispute, Mesers. Ledoux & Company shall analyze the retained third portion, and their results shall be final and binding on both parties. The expenses of the umpire chemist will be borne by the party whose results are farthest from the results of said umpire chemist.

Thanking you to execute one copy of the contract, returning it to us and retaining one copy for your files and records, I cm

Very truly yours,

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Mr. J. M. Price, President, Electro Metallurgical Sales Corp., 30 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Dear Jack:

This is to confirm our arrangement over the phone today in relation to our V2O5 contract with your Corporation.

Thile the first four cars, as I explained to you, did not develop as favorably as we expected inasmuch as we could not produce the higher quality grades, we are hopeful that future shipments along the lines suggested by your Mr. KeNeill and further development work on our part will prove to be satisfactory for all grades.

As you know, we sent you our check for one-half of your original invoice for the first four cars and in early February you will receive check for the balance due.

You are authorized to ship us for receipt in early February and for March account one car of the higher grade oxide in conformity with Mr. McNeill's letter of December 27, 1933.

Immediately after running this car through our operations. I shall be pleased to communicate with you with respect to results obtained and at the same time discuss with you the question of further deliveries.

Yours very truly,

President.

Copy to P.J.G.

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November 7, 1934

Mr. J. M. Price, President, Sleetro Metallurgical Sales Corporation, 30 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Dear Mr. Price:

This will confirm my statement over the phone to you this afternoon to the effect that we will accept immediate shipment of two cars of Vanadium Oxide under the existing contract.

It will also confirm my additional statement that I would be dropping in to see you either tomorrow or Friday or early next week to discuss the balance que and other matters.

Yours very truly.

President.

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## ELECTRO METALLURGICAL COMPANY

F. H. HAGGERSON

NEW YORK

November 15, 1935.

Er. E. D. Fransore, President, Vanadium Corporation of America, 120 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Fransomet

I expect that we will be getting ... touch with you sometime within the next ten days with regard to the price on Oxide.

Very truly yours,

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CABLE ADDRESS PERROALLOY

## ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION

Unit of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation

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DISTRIBUTORS "ELECTROMET" BRAND

FERRO-ALLOYS AND OTHER ELECTRO METALLURGICAL PRODUCTS

G. J. EX. NO. 735

CARBIDE AND CARBON BUILDING 30 EAST 42ND STREET, NEW YORK

November 12th, 1074.

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Mr. A. A. Corcy, Jr., President, Vanedium Corporation of America, 120 Broadway, Mcm York, N. Y.

Deer Mr. Corey:

Confirming conversation had with you in my office on Friday of last week, please be advised that we are arranging to ship to your works between now and December 31st three additional carloads of vanadium oxide to apply against our contract N-10970, which completes the minimum of 1,000,000 pounds of oxide due on this contract. The terms to apply on these three additional carloads will be 30-60-30 days from January 1st.

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We are also arranging to ship you an additional 250,000 pounds of this oxide during the months of April, May and June, 1935 with the regular terms as outlined in the contract applying and at the price stipulated in the contract. This covers the maximum quantity for which the contract was drawn but the expiration date of this contract has been extended three months.

It is the writer's understanding that, as soon as you check in this matter further, you will take up with me the question of the possible of an additional amount which you might require for the last half of nemble and we will at that time discuss the price to apply on this additional quentity.

Assuring you of our pleasure in being able to make the above changes in your present contract, I remain

Very truly yours,

JMP: AP

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WORKS LOCATED AT - NIAGARA FALLS, N.Y. - ALLOY, W.VA. - OLEN FERRIS, W. VA. - HOLCOMS ROCE....

## ELECTRO METALLURGICAL SALES CORPORATION

Unit of Union Carbido and Carbon Corporation

DISTRIBUTORS "ELECTROMET" BRAND
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b. J. EX. NO. 785

CARBIDE AND CARBON BUILDING 30 EAST 42ND STREET NEW YORK

April 2nd, 1935.

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Mr. A. A. Corey, Jr., President Vanadium Corporation of America 120 Broadway New York, N. T.

Dear Mr. Corey:

Pursuant to my letter of September 15, 1935 and confirming the conversation had with the writer in my office this morning, we will extend the delivery date of the 250,000 pounds of vanadium oxide still due on your contract to the third and fourth quarters of this year instead of shipment being made in the second quarter.

As arranged this morning, a car of this oxide will be shipped in each of the foll wing months: July, Sentember and December, 1955.

Assuring you of our plessure in being shie to make this change for you, I am, with kind repards

\* Very truly yours,

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Mr. F. M. Price, President, Electro Metallurgical Sales Corporation, 30 Rest 42nd Street, New York City. 本日

Dear ir. Price:

This morning I have your confirmation of our verbal arrangement with respect to the remaining 250,000 pounds of vanadium oxide under our contract, dated September 15, 1933.

We appreciate your action in this matter very much indeed.

Yours very truly,

President.



Lovember 13, 1935

in. F. H. Haggerson, President, Electro Metallurgical Company, 30 East 42nd Street, New York, N. Y.

Dear Er. Haggerson:

Please do not think I am hurrying you as there is no real rush about getting a price on Oxide, but it happened to be an item of unfinished business and I am wondering if you have had a chance to arrive at any conclusions up yet.

Very truly yours,

i resident.

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CARBIDE AND CARBON BUILDING, NEW YORK

PERRO-ALLOYS AND OTHER ELECTRO-METALLURGICAL PRODUCTS

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See letter attached which is pursuant to and part of this contract.

All agreements of the Seller herein are subject to and contingent upon strikes, riot, war, commandeering or requisitioning or alloting to others in priority to the Buyer by the Government, invasion, fire, explosion, accident, delays in procuring sufficient and suitable raw
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HOWEVER, that in case of and upon the happening of any such event whereby the total output of the Manufacturer's plants of ferroalloys and/or other products which the said plants are or may be then engaged in producing, is curtailed, or a portion or all ofcoutput is commandeered or requisitioned or allotted to others in priority to the Buyer by the Government, then the Seller shall use its
best efforts to fairly and equitably pro rate any ferro-alloys, which may be produced at said plants and which are not commandeered or
requisitioned or allotted to others in priority to the Buyer by the Government, between the Buyer and its other customers of ferro-alloys

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#### REPORT ON VANADIUM

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#### Synopsis

The study that is the subject of this Report was made to correlate the information available on the question of vanadium production and markets in the United States today. Particular emphasis has been laid on the metallurgical uses of vanadium, and certain conclusions drawn regarding the probable trend of the future market.

The conclusion is drawn that a material reduction in selling price will be necessary to stimulate, or even to maintain, vanadium in its position as an alloying element. A tentative selling price is suggested after a review of the vanadium economics of the Electro Metallurgical Company.

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#### VANADIUM MARKET POSSIBILITIES

#### INTRODUCTION:

The ability to decide as important and complicated a question as the matter of the Corporation's policy on vanadium obviously requires a knowledge of all the facts, including the newest ones bearing on the subject. Some of these facts have been obtained and arranged under the following headings:

## I. METALLURGICAL ADVANTAGES RESPECTING THE USE OF VANADIUM

This is a subject upon which there is much information and well-defined opinion, and it is realized that we ourselves are not un-informed on the matter; however, it is worth while to re-examine the facts and opinions extant at present, since there is evidence that the favor with which alloys are regarded changes from time to time—somewhat like the "change of style" in other commodities. This leads to a changing emphasis which follows in part the new developments in requirements, and in part the successful sales propaganda.

## II. ECONOMICS OF A "COME-BACK" FOR VANADIUM. COST OF PRODUCTION AND PROBABLE MARKET VALUE AT THE STEEL MILL

In this section, the production costs and sales prices are discussed in an attempt to determine how far a

[fol. 229] cut in prices could be expected to go without rendering the manufacture and sale unprofitable to the Corporation. This material enables a conclusion to be drawn concerning the ability to win back the market already lost.

# III. NEW POSSIBILITIES FOR EXPANDING THE MARKET IN METALLURGY AND FOR OTHER USES IN TECHNOLOGY, CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Markets other than the use in steel are considered for expanding the consumption of vanadium. Possibilities of different methods of utilization for metallurgical purposes are also developed. Conclusions are drawn, and recommendations made.

#### IV. APPENDIX. COLLATERAL INFORMATION

Data are shown respecting the economics of the vanadium situation.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

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# I. METALLURGICAL ADVANTAGES RESPECTING THE USE OF VANADIUM

It may be recalled that a survey of the automobile industry was made in 1931.1 At that time it was learned that the unbiased views of the automobile metallurgists indicated that vanadium was on the way out, the reason being that it was too costly; other combinations, such as molybdenum steels and silico-manganese, were able to perform satisfactorily and at a considerable saving in cost to the car builder. At that time there was little or no indication that other alloy combinations were better than vanadium, but simply that they would perform satisfactorily and were much cheaper. Since the time of the survey mentioned, still further reduction in the use of vanadium has taken place, and it is hardly too much to say that its large-scale use in the automobile industry is now practically eliminated. Doubt has been expressed as to whether the preference today might still be for vanadium-even though the price differential were reduced or eliminated-and this justifies some study of whether the "style" in metallurgical thought has altered and the former real or fancied advantages of vanadium would now be admitted. These remarks apply to all types of steels utilized in the automobile, but it should be pointed out that the last stand of vanadium was in springs. The present status with respect to vanadium in the automobile is summarized by Table VIa in the Appendix, which was prepared by Mr. R. C. Good.

It will be noted that the metallurgists of the Vanadium Corporation of America stresses the beneficial effect of

[fol. 231] vanadium on the qualities of springs; in our

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Summary of the Present Status of Vanadium Steels in the Automobile Industry," by C. E. MacQuigg and S. C. DuTot, May 11, 1931.

report' made in 1931, the matter of vanadium springs was carefully looked into, and at that time the situation was not particularly pleasing, nor was the outlook reassuring as to future developments. For example:

"Leaf springs: From an unsatisfactory interview at the Mather Spring Company in Toledo, it was gathered that vanadium steel was largely used for leaf springs in automobiles: however, with few exceptions it was later found that silico-manganese was used and that Mather's business must be chiefly in other lines (possibly railroad). There is also a tendency to use plain carbon steel in some of the leaves and the alloved steel in the main leaf only. It was learned that Hupp is changing to a new steel with manganese 0.75 to 0.95% and 1.0 to 1.20% chromium. This steel was recommended by the Mather Company and is cheaper than chrome-vanadium. (We were led to believe that the steel was worked out by Timken metallurgists, as Mr. Mather is a Director of the Timken Company.) This information would lead to the conclusion that the Mather Company—who apparently were the avowed champions of the vanadium-bearing springs—were also seeking cheaper substitutes. It was learned elsewhere that the principal reasons for the Mather predilection for vanadium springs were that their shop practice and heat-treating equipment were built up around the chrome-vanadium steels.

As will be seen from the summary, Chevrolet constitutes about the only large-scale user of chrome-vanadium steel in springs. It is proving entirely satisfactory, but Mr. Spear, the Metallurgist, is looking for a cheaper steel. A pertinent portion of the detailed report on the Chevrolet interview is quoted: 'As a matter of fact, the chrome-vanadium is now out of the leaf springs in the truck, and it would have lost out in the passenger car also were it not for the fact that they might have to increase the weight of the spring slightly and since this is tied in with riding

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> MacQuigg and DuTot, loc. cit., pages 5 and 6.

quality they hesitate to make the change; however, as soon as the spring designer can bring out a little better spring so that they can lighten its weight, they will discard chrome-vanadium.'

One car advertises chrome-vanadium leaf springs but does not use it because it costs too much!

Coiled springs: The situation with respect to coiled springs presents a number of different angles and is more involved than with the other components studied. Influences adverse to vanadium have resulted from several causes and these have combined to greatly reduce its consumption in spring wire. As estimated

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[fol. 232] by Mr. Pickwell of the Gibson Spring Company in Chicago, they are 'not making 1/20 or 1/25 of the vanadium coiled springs they made three years ago.' Briefly stated, the adverse influences are:

- (a) Swedish carbon steel has been making great inroads quite recently. The Swedish interests have brought their design and manufacturing experts to this country to work with the American customers and then have striven in every way to meet the requirements of the trade. This effort has no doubt stimulated the American steel makers, with the net result that coiled spring wire (plain carbon) may be purchased with a feeling of assured quality. From two sources it was learned that the Swedish carbon spring steel also has a better surface than the chrome-vanadium. Duplicate test specimens are cut from each end of a coil of the carbon steel wire and are tested for quality by coiling. and experience has shown that this is adequate. On the other hand, the chrome-vanadium is not so uniform and the acceptance tests need to be much more comprehensive.
- (b) Chrome-vanadium has not been as free from surface defects as has the carbon steel. There was a tendency to place the blame for this on the steel makers who apparently do not or cannot properly deseam their

hillets. Swedish chrome-vanadium steel has better surface and is found superior to the domestic product.

- (c) A further complaint against chrome-vanadium spring wire was that it is not obtainable in heat-treated condition. While the initial cost of the chrome-vanadium versus the carbon steel is about equal—in fact, it is in favor of the chrome-vanadium—the final cost is nearly two to one in favor of the carbon steel, since the latter is bought in its finished heat-treated state and needs only to be wound into the required helix and given a light tempering to remove working strains.
- (d) In most cases the carbon steel has proved satisfactory, and being much cheaper it is naturally used by the spring maker when he is not tied down specifically to chrome-vanadium by the purchase specifications. In some cases as in the aircraft industry (aircooled engines) the chrome-vanadium wire is still preferred. A few minor uses from the tonnage standpoint, as in clutch springs, still prevail.

One spring metallurgist stated that chrome vanadium might come back if (i) the American makers would use greater care in its manufacture, and (ii) the cost were sufficiently lower to prove competitive."

The subject has not been further investigated at the present moment, but it is thought that no general increase in the consumption of vanadium in spring manufacture has taken place, nor is indicated as being about to take place.

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[fol. 233] The writings of numerous recognized authorities were consulted, and their views pro and con were abstracted to give a cross-section of what the literature contains as a result of laboratory and practical experiences:

Moore' found that the addition of vanadium to a plain carbon steel did not raise the endurance limit to an

<sup>&</sup>quot;Resistance of Metals to Repeated Static and Impact Stresses." R. R. Moore, A.S.T.M. Vol. 24.

appreciable degree. His vanadium steel, however, did have a high Izod value. On the other hand, the vanadium steel with a different heat treatment had an Izod value five times that of the plain carbon steel whereas its endurance limit was less.

Ova has studied the equilibrium diagram of the ironvanadium system, and concludes that these metals form an unbroken series of solid solutions. With the addition of vanadium, the A, transformation is lowered; A. is raised, so that the two curves meet at 2.5% vanadium to form a continuous phase boundary. The A. point is raised gradually at first up to maximum at nearly 15% vanadium, then rapidly lowered until it reaches room temperature in an alloy containing nearly 35% vanadium. Solubility of earbon in gamma solid solution is markedly decreased by addition of vanadium. The A. point-that is, the eutectoid temperature -is raised 15° in the iron iron-carbide system by the addition of 0.5% vanadium. (Vanadium operates to widen the heat treatment temperature ranges of steels.)

Losana states that vanadium accelerates the corrosion of steel at high temperatures in air and in internal combustion engine exhaust gases.

The mechanical properties of carbon-vanadium castings are generally superior to those of plain carbon steels, but there is little advantage in shock value. Also, it is better to normalize than to anneal.

Steels containing 0.14 and 0.30% vanadium were compared as regards tensile properties with plain structural steel, nickel-chromium and chrome-vanadium

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> "Science Reports of Tohoku Imperial University," Vol. 19. See also the Transactions of the British Iron and Steel Institute, 1930, Part II, p. 626A.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> "Corrosion of Steels at High Temperatures," L. Losana, British Iron and Steel Institute, 1931, Part II, p. 727A.

<sup>\*</sup>Knowlton. A.S.S.T. Transactions, September 1927, Vol. 12, p. 482.

[fol. 234] steels. Vanadium was found to raise the elastic limit and ultimate strength, and to lower the elongation, contraction, and notch toughness. Raising of the quenching temperature affects all these properties in the same, direction respectively. Nickel-chromium steels are equal in strength to chrome-vanadium steels where small sections are concerned, but are superior if the section is heavy.

With the exception of the sales propagated of the Vanadium Corporation of America, the results of laboratory tests have not always been uniformly favorable to the use of vanadium in steels. Its chief recommendations for use have been the following two: (1) The ability to widen the range of heat treatment and thus lessen the "touchiness" of steels containing it, and (2) the generally accepted fact that its presence confers toughness on heavy sections of castings and forgiags such as are used in railroad rolling stock. In spite of the occasionally unfavorable laboratory tests, still its good properties in the above two categories are generally accepted, and it is noted in a recent article in THE ENGINEER (London) which describes the "Normandie," that "because of the size and design of the (rudder) stock, vanadium steel was used in it."

While it has been axiomatic that vanadium would act as a scavenging agent as well as an alloying element in steel, it has never been seriously proposed that its efficiency as a deoxidizer justified its use for that purpose alone. Even sales propaganda literature has always pointed out that cleansing of the steel was more efficiently done by means of other elements (silicon manganese, etc.) added first to do the major part of the "clean-up." While it

[fol. 235] may be true that such a viewpoint arose from the high cost of the metal, still one may doubt whether vanadium can ever be sold cheaply enough to justify its

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Vanadium in Structural Steels," R. Hohage and A. Grützner, British Iron and Steel Institute, 1925, Part I. p. 580A. See also Stahl und Eisen for December 18, 1924, Vol. 44, pp. 1713-1717.

competition with the other well-established deoxidizers for such a purpose only. At any likely cost, therefore, vanadium would seem to fail as a serious competitor for the deoxidizer business as such, although it will always have that added merit.

Next consider the toughening quality of vanadium when added to steel, especially heavy castings. This is no doubt the greatest single asset from vanadium additions. In a later section, it will be shown that this is probably the greatest stronghold of vanadium today. Vanadium with chromium or nickel has a peculiar merit which cannot be successfully controverted; here again there is a rift in the lute, inasmuch as molybdenum has been gaining in favor as a toughener of steel. It is the writer's reasoned judgment that molybdenum is not as effective a toughener of high strength steel as is vanadium, but it is so nearly comparable that the approach to parity of the two classes of steels will operate to require just that much more effort to maintain vanadium as a competitor.

It is difficult to compare steels of different analyses for their intrinsic worth or usefulness. Several methods have been suggested for making such comparisons; the chief difficulty results from the fact that applications differ to some extent respecting the quality of the steel considered of greatest importance. For example, a rivet steel must —9—

[fol. 236] be ductile, and although strength would also be desirable, ductility must come first. On the other hand, a cutting tool must be hard above other properties; nevertheless, ductility cannot be entirely sacrificed.

Some comparisons of wrought chrome-molybdenum, chrome-vanadium and chromium-nickel steel<sup>2</sup> have been made and are shown in Table I. This method makes use of a purely empirical formula which serves to arbitrarily set down a so-called "merit index." This merit index is ob-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Chrome and Nickel-Molybdenum Steels," C. N. Dawe, Iron Age for March 16, 1922, Vol. 109, p. 725.

<sup>&</sup>quot;Evaluation of the Technical Worth of A Steel from Physical Test Data," A. B. Kinzel, A.S.M.E. 1928.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> C. N. Dawe and A. B. Kinzel, loc. cit.

tained by adding together the yield point and maximum stress, multiplying that figure by one-half the elongation in 2 in., and dividing the result by 100 minus the reduction of area. In the original article the author, C. N. Dawe, shows results obtained on forged steels of the analyses noted and for different sized bars. The 2 in. square section was selected for reproduction here because it would tend to favorably accent the good obtained from vanadium respecting its toughening effect. Ductility, however, does not seem to be favorably influenced by vanadium as against molybdenum additions. This is true for all of the heat treatments noted, in which the molybdenum produced better results. (Mr. Dawe at the time of the publication of his test data was a metallurgist for the Studebaker Corporation, and it is presumed that the tests shown were the result of unprejudiced experimentation.)

Following the same method of calculation in Table 11, the writer made some comparisons of the properties of cast steels containing different alloying elements, the tensile properties being taken from reliable sources. Here again the merit indices were calculated by Dawe's formula, and

[fol. 237] again attention is called to the fact that no particular brief is held for this type of calculation except that it does enable the visualization of all four of the mechanical properties between given steels by comparison of single figures. It may be claimed that this method is unfair in that it fails to properly accent one or more given qualities which possibly should be accented for a given application. No particular property is singled out by this method, which may be thought of as an "over-all" comparison. Zuege's remarks on the effect of vanadium on steel are as follows:

"Vanadium is a very powerful deoxidizing agent, and it is believed that the beneficial effects obtained through its use are largely due to its elimination of impurities although it also forms complex carbides. In rolled steels it is believed to produce a very fine-grained

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Alloy Cast Steels," D. Zuege, Transactions of the American Foundrymen's Association, 1929, Vol. 37, p. 361.

structure. In castings it is used largely in heavy, irregularly-shaped castings in which it raises the ratio of yield point to tensile strength with no decrease in ductility.

The vanadium steels have in the past been used to a considerable extent in castings where an exceptionally clean metal was desired or where castings of intricate design were required, since vanadium does not confer marked air-hardening properties. It was believed that vanadium imparted to steels the ability to resist repeated stress to a marked degree, but some recent investigators believe that its importance in this respect has been exaggerated."

Recognizing the objections to Dawe's method of comparison, the writer has calculated the properties of two S.A.E. steels from the Society's publication just off the press. Kinzel's method of calculation has been used for the results shown in the last column of Table III, the emphasis being placed on elastic ratio and ductility, and the relative—11—

[fol. 238] weightings being given by the following exponentials:

Maximum stress $= \frac{1}{2}$ Elastic ratio $= \frac{2}{3}$ Elongation= 1.0

From Table III it is seen that the vanadium steel is definitely superior. No particular justification is offered for the selection of the exponents, since they would be subject to change for different conditions of service; it is felt that they are as fair as any others for conditions where lightness must be combined with resistance to shock.

In conversation with Mr. Bob Byrd of the Midvale Company concerning the relative costs of A.A.R. steels, Classes A and B, he made the statement that the differential against Class B steel was in part due to the high manganese con-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Iron and Steel Specifications," Reprint from the 1935 S.A.E. Handbook, March 1935.

tent, which is specified somewhat higher than that of Class A and to the presence of which he quite firmly insisted the major portion of the additional physical properties were due. His personal feelings were quite "bearish" on the merits of vanadium. He further stated that vanadium was used by many steel makers for its deoxidation properties alone, so that the residual vanadium was very low—in other words, the addition of a mere pinch which might entirely disappear and certainly was not left to the extent of more than 0.03 or 0.04%.

He went still further and stated that in his own personal experience, vanadium in combination with chromium made one of the most difficult steels with which to meet specification requirements. He much prefers the chrome-molybdenum compositions. His final thought was that vanadium was due to continue its decline because of its lack of merit in comparison with molybdenum. These remarks of an experienced steel maker are included here to illustrate the

[fol. 239] widely opposing opinions that may be obtained respecting the desirability of any given steel analysis.

In Table V will be found the relative costs of a number of S.A.E. alloy steels, some of which are comparable to vanadium steel and others are not, the figures being taken from IRON AGE for April 25, 1935. It is thus seen that the most expensive vanadium steel is fourth in order of costliness of all of the steels shown, while the cheapest vanadium steel is only eighth among the eighteen steels listed, thus placing vanadium steels at present among the most expensive of alloy types.

There are more sides to the cost of vanadium steels than appear in a mere cataloging of the selling price, among them being the matter of mill losses. Due to the fact that one steel is harder to work than another, heavy rejections may be encountered because of such causes as poor ingot surface which will lead to seams and fissures, thus giving rise to excessive chipping costs. It is also a fact that some steels will cause heavy rejections from difficulties in rolling, such as corner cracking, which also is an adverse factor; the sensitiveness in heat treatment is another factor. Finally, there is the loss of the given element in re-

melting. These factors establish the selling price, and their weighted effect is expressed economically in the alloy extra except as to cost of working up by the purchaser. Table VI shows the consensus of opinion regarding some of the factors just enumerated. The showing by vanadium is about average. There are special ways of taking care of some of the difficulties mentioned, such as the remelting of the vanadium-containing scrap in an electric furnace, but this is a feature which most plants are not equipped

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APPROXIMATE EFFECTS OF ALLOYING ILLEANING ON STEAL WITH HALD ECT TO WILL BAHAVION

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<sup>(1)</sup> To be secepted with modifications.
(2) Secondary (grain size primary).
(3) Depends on slag equition.

NUME: Some data from "Basic Open Hearth Prestice," A. N. Diehl, American Iron & Steel Institute 1926.

[fol. 241] to make use of on a tonnage basis. It is not therefore likely that any return scrap value can be credited to vanadium.

Another aspect of the metallargical use of vanadium which has already been mentioned, needs to be considered in more detail; namely, the seavenging effect it has on steels. This use, while it has long been recognized, has not been emphasized commercially, chiefly because of the high cost of vanadium. However, this picture might possibly be changed; if the cost of vanadium could be brought down materially, it might conceivably allow the element to be "built up" in popularity as a scavenging agent. This angle to the vanadium question is involved with the ability of that element to refine the grain of steel. Grain refinement is an objective of the steel manufacturer, since in general the fine-grained steels are characterized by greater toughness. Recent researches into the relationship of the history of the heat (deoxidation) and grain size in the resulting steel have shown that the fineness of grain can be controlled by manufacturing technique, and that even aluminum can be made to bring about the desired results. In the words of a well-informed metallurgist of our own organization, "So much information has recently been acquired respecting the effect of deoxidation on grain size and how to control it by the use of the cheaper aluminum, it is doubtful if vanadium can be kept in its former place as a grain-refining addition to steel." Such views are disturbing enough to warrant some careful study of the facts. What has been found out concerning aluminum is briefly stated herein, but unfortunately nothing like the same kind of information is available on specific scavenging action of vanadium.

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[fol. 242] In brief, the theory is that a melt of steel on freezing will form a fine-grained mass if enough critically dispersed nuclei are present in the form of non-metallic inclusions; in the absence of such nuclei in critical dispersion, the mass of steel may be coarse-grained. In this way a very clean steel might be coarse-grained, as also would be a steel with (say) very coarsely distributed non-metallic

particles (i.e., supercritical dispersion). Herty has recently published his conclusions on this matter, which in part are as follows:

"The grain size of plain carbon steels is profoundly affected by the method of deoxidation used.

In mild steels, 0.15 to 0.25% carbon, the finest-grained steels are those to which an excess of aluminum has been added for deoxidation. Semi-killed steels to which a small amount of aluminum has been added are fairly fine-grained in the normalized condition, and silicon-killed steels are more coarse-grained than the semi-killed steels. Both semi-killed an silicon-killed steels are very coarse-grained when heated to 1000° C. (1832° F.) for 1 hr. Steels with excess aluminum are still fine-grained after this treatment, but become coarse-grained at about 1100° C. (2012° F.).

Ladle additions of aluminum, amounting to 0.03% give a very fine-grained steel. If the aluminum is added in the furnace, either as a complex deoxidizer or as ferro-aluminum, the resultant grain size of the steel is very similar to that of a silicon-killed steel. It is evident that under these conditions the alumina particle has been fluxed, thus destroying its ability to act as a nucleus for crystallization."

Whether or not one can agree with the views expressed above, it must be admitted that any advancement of technique involving a cheap and effective grain control by means of proper deoxidation of the steel bath is distinctly

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[fol. 243] detrimental to the commercialization of the costlier vanadium. If the grain-refining action of vanadium be due to its deoxidizing power, then by the same token any other efficient deoxidizer would be as effective. It is not

<sup>&</sup>quot;Effect of Deoxidation on Grain Size and Grain Growth in Plain Carbon Steel," C. H. Herty, D. L. McBride and S. O. Hough, Cooperative Bulletin #65 of the Mining and Metallurgical Advisory Board.

argued that aluminum is as good as vanadium, but on the other hand we must admit that arguments are already available that such is the case. As a matter of fact, vanadium has a dual role; namely, partly as a true alloying element and partly as a scavenger, and this certainly cannot be said about aiuminum. To that extent vanadium must always enjoy an advantage, but this is not great enough at the present cost of vanadium.

When, as, and if the cost of vanadium is reduced to a semi-competitive basis as a deoxidizer, then we shall doubtless have certain arguments in favor of its use, and these may be developed out of research programs. As an instance, the use of vanadium in a silicon alloy is mentioned, on the assumption that such a combination would give simultaneous reduction and alloving actions; in other words, the silicon will do the rough work of deoxidation, and the vanadium will exert its effect as a strengthening element. This might or might not work advantageously, depending on the correctness of Herty's explanation of the mechanism of grain size control. We might go further and show by experiment that vanadium has afforded an ideal grain size control mechanism because of its simultaneous scavenging and true alloving behaviors. Going a step still further, at a competitive price for vanadium, research might show that alloy steels treated with vanadium are feasible for certain railroad applications where they are now excluded because of their poor showing. Thus a simple dosage with vanadium in such quantities as to allow for partial loss through oxidation but still finishing with enough to permit residual alloving effect might result in a new kind of allov -16-

[fol. 244] steel—perhaps, an "Izett" type of alloy steel. At present there is a considerable total quantity of vanadium accounted for by additions to many different types of alloy steels, but in such small amounts as to be residual in not more than 0.01 to 0.05%. Even in such small amounts, many metallurgists contend that the addition is markedly beneficial and that they will not abandon the practice.

In view of the fact that these new ideas respecting the grain size control of steels through the proper use of deoxidizers has been to a large extent based on data recently published in this country, it is of interest to note the views of a British metallurgist, in part as follows:

"One of the most outstanding metallurgical developments of recent years is the gradual accumulation of knowledge that has led to appreciation of the importance of "inherent austenite grain size," and to some understanding of the methods by which it can be controlled. From the same heat it is possible to produce either inherently coarse-grained or inherently finegrained steel by controlling the aluminum additions. In the coarse-grained austenite, grain growth takes place at lower temperatures than in the fine-grained. This affects the behavior of the steel in heat-treating operations and has a pronounced influence on the properties obtained. For some purposes coarse-grained steel is preferred, but in general the fine-grained type is best. If, however, the two types are not distinguished and steel of a given analysis turns out to be coarsegrained or fine-grained simply as a matter of chance. then as a result of variations in the behavior of different heats difficulty will be experienced in forging. heat treating and machining under mass production conditions. Furthermore, the mechanical properties obtained in the finished product will vary from heat to heat.

The production of inherently coarse- or fine-grained steel depends primarily on the amount of aluminum added before casting, but control of the manganese, —17—

[fol. 245] and silicon additions is also important, and titanium when added with the aluminum tends to increase the cleanness and uniformity of the steel.

Besides aluminum, other strong deoxidizers like titanium, zirconium, and vanadium are known to cause fine grain, but somewhat larger additions are required

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Grain Size Control and Its Effect on the Mechanical Properties of Forgings," J. M. Robertson, METAL TREATMENT, Spring Number 1935, p. 21.

than in the case of aluminum, and the elements are considerably more expensive. The question to be investigated is whether titanium and zirconium give results sufficiently, if any, better than aluminum to justify the greater cost."

Dr. Robertson barely mentions vanadium, no doubt because of its present cost. With regard to the effect of the additions of aluminum on ingot surface and cleanliness of the steel, Robertson is quoted further:

"The amount of aluminum and silicon required to give inherently fine-grained steel results in fully-killed deeply piping ingots, and for economical manufacture molds with feeder heads must be used. The surface condition of ingots does not lend itself to quantitative study, but according to Epstein, Nead and Washburn, such data as could be obtained did not indicate that either ladle or mold additions of aluminum adversely affected the surface. The same investigators also studied the cleanness of experimental heats of fineand coarse-grained steel by microscopic inclusion counts and oxygen determinations by the electrolytic extraction method. Satisfactory agreement between the two methods was obtained, and as a result of the work it was concluded that the moderate ladle additions of aluminum required to produce fine-grained steel did not increase the number of detrimental inclusions. Even mold additions up to 12 oz. per ton did not decrease the cleanness of the steel."

With regard to the item of cost, aluminum would cost only 20½¢ per ton when added in 16 oz. dosages per ton of steel, at the current price of that metal. This matter of deoxidation is mentioned here in some detail because it is quite plain that it has a most important bearing on the question of grain size control, which in turn is itself bound up with the benefits of vanadium treatment. If in due time the metallurgist becomes convinced that his results may be obtained by means of additions of cheap aluminum as

[fol. 246] against a more expensive alloying element such as vanadium, then it will become just so much more difficult to sell the vanadium. It will always be possible to embark on a campaign of counter-propaganda, decrying if possible the use of aluminum because of certain objectionable features, but the fact still remains that ultimately the steel maker will pay no more for his materials than he must in order to obtain the necessary results.

There is one field in which vanadium so far has held undisputed pre-eminence—namely, as an addition to high speed steels. The importance of the position of vanadium in high speed steel is best illustrated by the remarks of the late Dr. J. A. Mathews, who was an authority on the subject.

"In 1903 the writer experimented with the addition of vanadium to high speed steel and brought about a considerable improvement. The efficiency was increased from two to three times. This resulted in the steel known as Rex AA, which is now the standard type known as 18-4-1, meaning 18% tungsten, 4% chromium and 1% vanadium. That steel has remained as a type for over 25 yr., and for general all-around purposes has not been improved upon."

Vanadium seems to have held its own in the high speed steels in spite of its costliness, and there is no reason at this moment to suspect that its position is being threatened. It might, therefore, be argued that a considerable portion of our vanadium market has been maintained in face of high prices and that to cut the price now when this market is not threatened is to show poor business judgment. More

[fol. 247] of this discussion is included in a later section, but in connection with the last thought it must always be remembered that high costs invite research for substitutes which might be discovered and might destroy the present

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "The Electric Furnace and the Alloy Age," John A. Mathews, Transactions of the Electrochemical Society, Vol. LXI, 1932, p. 139.

market. (This has actually happened with the molybdenum high speed steels, where the urge has been a strategic one.) As against the possibility of the development of substitutes for vanadium in the high speed steels, it can be pointed out that the trend is apparently in the opposite direction at this time. Several patents have recently been issued to J. V. Emmons of the Cleveland Twist Drill Company and to others, covering new compositions in what are purported to be more efficient high speed steels. These compositions contain from 2 to 6% vanadium, and in the event that the steels prove up to expectations an increased market for vanadium is promised. The vanadium content of the average high speed steel, as shown by a study of some fifty analyses of representative American and foreign steels, is from 0.6 to 1% or more.

Summing up the information on steels, one may conclude that there are several different types of steel employing one or more of the elements chromium, nickel, molybdenum, manganese, silicon or vanadium, and that there is little choice between them with respect to mechanical properties for most common applications. One may manipulate the calculation of the "merit" or "worth" of various steels, but after all the deciding factor governing the selection of a steel will quite largely depend on certain other conditions, such as prejudice of the metallurgist writing the specifications, ease of machinability, "foolproofness" in heat treating, special requirements such as stainlessness, and finally, but not the least important of all, the unit cost.

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[fol. 248] From the figures assembled in this section it is clear that the balance is quite close between any one of several different analyses; this has also been shown in the literature. One may therefore conclude that the decline in the tonnage of vanadium steels has been due mostly

<sup>&</sup>quot;The Relative Merits of Some Different Alloy Steels with Respect to Certain Mechanical Properties," Bradley Stoughton and W. E. Harvey, Proceedings of A.S.T.M. 1930, Part 11, p. 241. (This article shows "merit" calculations on a number of steels by several different methods. It is interesting that the authors give a high rating to the chrome-vanadium steels.)

to a competitive situation and less to the improvement in properties over other analyses. By the same token it should be possible to revive a considerable tonnage of the vanadium steels, either of the standardized analyses or any types growing out off our research efforts, by a substantial lowering of the cost of vanadium.\* Discussion of the feasibility of such a cut in selling price is deferred to a later section of this report.

Use of Vanadium in Cast Iron: Not a great deal of information is available on the effect of vanadium in east iron, since such use has not been commercialized because of cost considerations. Rather more research seems to have been done in England than in America. A number of references have been studied, and the definite conclusions justified that vanadium is beneficial in its effects on cast iron. It belongs to the hardening, strengthening, carbideforming group rather than with the softening, graphitizing group—that is, it belongs with chromium rather than with silicon in its chief effects but with this difference: It is somewhat milder in action. Vanadium gives a denser,

[fol. 249] stronger, finer-grained casting which has particular merit for certain applications. From one of the most comprehensive researches consulted, the following conclusions were drawn:

"Type	% C	C Si	C Mn	% P	% 8
A	3.55	1.46	0.42 -	0.077	0.022
В	3.7	2.7	0.56	0.11	0.04
C	2.5	2.5	0.55	0.07	0.038

The strength in compression of Alloy A was raised 40% by 0.5% vanadium, 10% by 2% nickel, and about 40% by the combined addition. In B the effects were less marked, but in C the compressive strength was increased about 30%. The bend strength of A was

<sup>\*</sup> See Appendix for further opinions quoted on this subject.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Influence of Nickel and Vanadium on the Properties of Cast Iron," Iron Age for March 26, 1931, p. 1028, which is an abstract of an article by J. Shallansonnet (Revue de Metallurgie, November 1930).

increased 30%, B 50%, and C 30%. Vanadium addition produced about 50% better resistance to shear, though the influence was less on B. Nickel diminished the effect of vanadium. Alloys of Type C containing vanadium with and without nickel, varied in hardness from 500 to 350 Brinell."

J. E. Hurst, one of the leading British investigators, has done considerable work with vanadium in cast iron, and his conclusions are summarized as follows:

"As a result of tests made by one of the U.S.A. railroads, locomotive cylinders containing vanadium showed only microscopical wear after 200,000 miles running. Cylinders without vanadium additions showed appreciable wear—about 1/32% after 100,000 miles of service. Similar results have been reported in the case of large cylinders and liners in internal combustion engines.

Amount of Vanadium and Its Addition to Cast Iron: For ordinary purposes the amount of vanadium recommended to be added to cast iron is about 0.15%. It is generally recommended that the additions should be made by way of ferrovanadium to the molten metal

[fol. 250] in the ladle. The ferrovanadium should preferably be ground to powder, in which form it can be conveniently added to the molten metal as it flows down the cupola spout. Pig irons are now available containing at least 0.50% vanadium, together with an approximately similar percentage of titanium. These pig irons offer a very convenient and cheaper method of obtaining vanadium in the castings. They can be used direct in the cupola without loss of vanadium. It is found that the titanium present prevents the loss of vanadium, itself undergoing a loss of about 20%."

In view of what is already definitely known regarding the effect of vanadium in cast iron, plus what can be rea-

<sup>. 1 &</sup>quot;Vanadium and Titanium in Cast Iron," Foundry Trade Journal, September 5, 1929, p. 173.

sonably predicted in the way of beneficial effects, it is believed that probably a considerable market can be worked up, especially in the light of the increasing popularity of "high test" cast irons. That vanadium has not been used heretofore does not seem to be so much a metallurgical question as a commercial one. Quite an opposite to the above views has been gathered from consultation with one of our metallurgical staff, who feels certain that equal results may be obtained much more cheaply by other alloy additions to cast iron; e.g., a balance of chromium and silicon.\*

Use of Vanadium in Non-Ferrous Allows: The use of vanadium in non-ferrous alloys is not a new idea, since there is extensive patent literature covering its addition to the copper-base, the aluminum-base, and to a lesser extent to the zinc-base alloys respectively. In general, the effects are similar to that of titanium in the copper-base alloys,

[fol. 251] and a considerable tonnage of vanadium bronzes is sold. Here again, it might be confidently expected that price revisions would stimulate expansion of consumption. It is also obvious that new combinations replacing ferrovanadium would need to be developed because of the undesirability of iron as a constituent of many of the non-ferrous alloys.

For reasons already pointed out, it is not possible to make a very definite monetary comparison between the relative values of two or more different steels because of their diverse qualities. Moreover, no matter how specific the comparison might be made, it would still be unconvincing to the metallurgist who might be prejudiced against the given steel; he would always be able to adduce arguments why he could not accept the conclusions, provided they were against his favorite steel. In spite of these handicaps, it is worth while to make some comparisons suggested in Table III, where a chrome-vanadium steel has been contrasted with one of its closest competitors—namely, chrome-molybdenum.

<sup>·</sup> See Appendix for further views on this subject

The selling price of chrome-molybdenum (Series  $\pm 4100$ ) is 2.95¢ per lb. and for the chrome-vanadium (Series  $\pm 6100$ ) it is 3.65¢ per lb., or a differential of 0.70¢ per lb. against the vanadium—since the chromium content is the same in both steels. Deducting the base rate of 2.45¢ for all S.A.E. steels of these types, it is seen that the cost of vanadium must be made to shrink from 3.65 - 2.45 = 1.20¢, to 0.70¢, or a devaluation of  $\frac{1.20-0.70}{1.20} \times 100 = 41.5 \pm \%$ .

Since the grade used is what we market as "open hearth" which sells at \$2.70 per lb. of contained vanadium, the

[fol. 252] selling price of vanadium will have to be about  $\$2.70 \times (100-41.5\%) = \$1.58$  per lb. to make it compete on an equal cost basis with molybdenum. It should be noted that this comparison is on a dollar-and-cents basis only, and that it disregards the arguments which might be advanced to the steel maker as to why he should use vanadium in his steel practice; enough has been shown to indicate that such arguments would always be weighed in the light of prejudice for or against.

We must again bring to notice the fact that a mere cataloging of the tensile qualities of a number of different steels is alone not sufficient to make a sale on the one with the most attractive characteristics as shown by laboratory tests. Many other factors are known to contribute to the popularity of a steel, as explained below:

"The selection of the proper steel to be used in various parts of an aircraft engine involves more than the mere writing of an S.A.E. number on the drawing. Behind the selection of a steel for a particular purpose there are a number of considerations to be taken into account. These not only relate to the performance of the steel, but also to the methods of preparation which are necessary to put it into the proper condition to perform the functions demanded of it. The performance of steels is generally based on such properties as elastic limit, strength, hardness, ductility, fatigue, wearing quality, etc. However, these properties are only a few of those that contribute to the successful application

of metals. Due consideration must also be given to such factors as uniformity, depth of hardening, tendency to warp, hardening range, forgeability, machinability, etc. All of these properties are inherent in the alloy and contribute to its success or failure in performing the functions for which it is intended."

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[fol. 253] This feature of multi-sidedness in steel popul larities has been set down here in more detail than might seem justified because it makes a point which will be brought up later-namely, that considerable effort will surely be required to "put across" vanadium even though the cost to the consumer is greatly lowered. Sales development propaganda based on the results' of laboratory disclosures will most certainly have to be actively fostered. Among the possibilities are: Better heat treatment response from the vanadium-containing steels; better rolling qualities: better ingot surface, with attendant advantages to shipping costs; less cracking in rolling or forging; better mechanical properties, particularly in heavy sections, especially castings; cleaner steels; and others which might be mentioned. Some of the foregoing are known to be among the advantages occurring because of the presence of vanadium, while others are at best doubtful; the answers could be obtained by laboratory and plant experimentation.

Recognizing the fact that carbon-vanadium steel castings are widely used for heavy sections in the railroad field, some data are included on the mechanical properties of such steels. It can be assumed that the qualities particularly desired in this latter application are high strength with high elastic ratio (permitting reduction in design weight), together with toughness and resistance to shock. How these results have been obtained by the various analyses may be seen in Table IV, where it is evident that the nickel steel is more ductile but less strong than the vanadium steel, while both are superior to the plain carbon steel in strength

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Quality Factors," Messrs, Gillett and Moore, Metals & Alloys, November 1930, p. 811.

as well as ductility. It is interesting to note that the relative —26—

[fol. 254] costs of the two steels are as follows:

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Grade of Seed	& per Green Ton	e per Lh
Plain carbon, or Class A	32.00	1.428
Carbon-vanadium, or Class B	70.00	3.125

It is thus apparent that between the two steels, A and B, which are in competition in the railroad field, there exists a differential of about 1.7¢ per lb. against the vanadium steel. In spite of this additional cost, there is an unknown tonnage of Class B steel sold; the present tonnage would almost certainly be increased by a lowering of the price of vanadium.

From the foregoing it may be concluded that at the price now being charged for vanadium, its use in steel is not likely to increase, and it seems reasonable that it will almost surely continue to decline for some applications. Also, it is apparent that the decline that has already come from the substitutions of other steels is not due to the lack of merit of the vanadium steels, but rather to the fact that the vanadium steels are so near parity with competing compositions that no preference is justified from an economic standpoint. By reason of this equality, it should be possible to greatly help vanadium sales by a cut in selling price.

<sup>\*</sup> Personal communication from The Midvale Company.

	Cr-Ko	CI-A	Cr	Cr-H1
Carbon %	0.260	0.520	0.310	0.2.0
Manganese	0.570	0.750	0.000	0.720
Sulphur	0.020	0.053	0.0:	0.012
Phosphorus	0.025	0.025	0.023	0.020
Chromi un	0.600	1.030	0.910	0.500
Molybdeaus	0.350	-	-	-
Vanadium	-	0.160	-	
Fickel	-	-	-	1.270

# Results on Tensile Tests on Above

	Id./sq. In.										
Orade of Steel	Quench . 7.	Dray . F.	Point	strength	Elorg.	R.A.	Korit				
Cr-20	1550-1600	1000	100500	120100	27.6	62.0	85.0				
CT-T	1650-1630	1000	104400	119500	24.2	61.5	70.3				
Cr	1550-1000	1000	94575	115050	20.7	61.5	85.4				
CI-RI	1475-1575	1000	96220	119690	19.9	62.5	67.9				
Cr-tio	1550-1000	1100	100300	117200	25.4	66.8	82.6				
CT-Y	1600-1000	1100	112200	127000	24.3	59.0	71.5				
Cr	1650-1600	1100	65750	105700	21.8	65.0	69.0				
Cr-W1	1475-1675	1100	89378	111550	21.8	65.0	62.5				
Or-tio	1550-1600	1200	70000	100000	29.0	70.0	€6.7				
CI-Y	10001-000	1000	107000	120000	23.4	69.0	65.1				
Or	1600-1000	1200	77075	99575	24.2	68.5	68.1				
Cr-H1	1475-1575	1 200	78750	102300	25.3	68.7	73.4				

<sup>•</sup> TRON AGE, Vol. 109, March 16, 1922, p. 725.

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Boat								Feat T	Draw	Yield	Eq.In.					l'orit
Lo.	\$ C	\$ 1:3	5 51	5 Cr	< K1	\$ No	51	9	প	Point	Strength	2 in.	R.A.	Brinell	Charg	Incha
eco	0.53	1.54	0.03		-		-	1650 ALF		64250	110000	€.5	47.8	223	15,1	37.6
CCCA			0.03		-	-	-		1250 ALT	50000	65553	24.0	54.4	202	14.5	□.4
97-3	0.53	0.03	0.0	0.00	-	-	-			53600	ಬಾದಾ	18.5	26.0	217	-	13.4
*3-5	0.50	0.04	0.43	0.79	-	-	-	(1650 AIF	1200 -							
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5-3	0.47	0.74	0.45	0.99	1.44	-	-	Ditto	Ditto	82250	117950	13.0	43.0	241	-	32.6
53-20	0.34	1.50	0.40	0.71	1.22	0.32	-	1000 ALP	1000 A1P	145750	177000	13.5	35.0	307	9.2	₩.5
	0.3	0.77	0.53	-	-	-	0.10	Lorn.	-	52300	<b>2700</b>	26.0	46.7	162	-	34.9

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# TAPLE III

		COMPARISON	OF CR-VA WITH CR-10	STEEL TO ACCENT	TOUCHTESS PHO	PERTIES	11.	
**6140 0.40 0.75 **4140 0.40 0.75	- 0.95 - - 0.95 -	0.20 -	(Norm.1700 900 011 1600) 900	140000 150000 146000 170000	13.0 47.0 11.0 40.0	293 8	_	103.25 83.30

<sup>\* 7-5</sup> refers to Zuege's steel #7 in Table 5; 3-6 to steel 3 in Table 6, etc.

<sup>\*\*</sup> SAS specifications and properties are given as types.

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### TABLE IV

# ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS SPECIFICATION FOR NORMALIZED AND TEMPERED STEEL FORGINGS

# Chemical Analysis\*

Class	e; (°	← Mn		Max.		Min.	% Ni
A	0.40 - 0.55	0.60 - 0.90	0.045	0.05	0.15	-	-
В	0.40 - 0.55	0.70 - 0.95	0.045	0.05	0.15	0.15	-
C	0.20 - 0.27	0.75 - 0.95	0.045	0.05	0.15 - 0.35		2.50 3.00

In Classes A and B, the chromium and nickel may not exceed 0.15% and 0.25% respectively. In Class C, the chromium may not exceed 0.15%.

# Minimum Tensile Properties

%i20	Lho	Sq. In.	C Elongation	1-2 In.	C Redu	
Outside Diameter or Over All Thickness	Yield Point	Tensile Strength	Inverse Ratio		Inverse Ratio	Not Under
Class A						
Not over 8 in.,	50000	88000	2,500,000	25	3,650,000	40
4 in. max. wall			ten. str.		ten. str.	
Over 8 to 12 in.,	48000	86000	2,100,000	24	3,320,000	38
6 in. max. wall-z			ten. str.		ten. str.	
Over 12 to 20 in.,	46000	84000	2,000,000	23	3,100,000	36
10 in. max. wall	•		ten. str.		ten. str.	
Class B						
Under 5 in.	60000	90000	and the same	24		48
5 to 9 in.	60000	90000	-	•)•)		44
9 to 13 in.	58000	90000		21	-	42
Class C						
Under 8 in.	55000	80000	*	28		60
8 in. and over	55000	80000	Charles.	28		55
		A				

Note: Additional specifications are given for grain size, and Steel B shows a much finer grain than Steel A. [fol. 258]

#### RELETIVE PRICES OF ALLOT STREES

Note: The open hearth grade base price is 2.45% per pound. The differential Dr alloy ecutent of the given analysis is shown in Column A and the total or combined cost in Column B. Column C shown the relative order of cost.

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Bo.	Je:	≸ C	\$ 81		% Mn	< N1	≸ Мо	5 Y		1/10.	6/10.	
2000	0.5 Fichel		0.15-0.30		0.30-0.60	0.40-0.60				0.25	2.70	14
2100	2,5	-	•	•	•	1.25-1.75	-	•		.55	3,00	10
2300	3.5 *	•	•	•	0.50-0.80	3.25-3.75	•	-		1.50	3,95	- 4
2500		•		•	0.30-0.60	4.75-5.25	•	•		2,25	4.70	3
3100	Nierol-Chronium	-	•	0.45-0.75	0.30-0.60	1.00-1.50		-		.55	3.00	10
3200	•	-	•	0.90-1.25	0.30-0.60	1.50-2.00		-		1.55	3.80	5
3300	•		•	1.25-1.75	0.30-0.60	3.25-3.75		-		3.80	6,25	1
3400	•	-			0.30-0.60	2.75-3.25	•	•		3,20	5,65	2
4100	Chrom-Moly bdomm											
	(0.15-0.25 Me)	•		0.80-1.10	0.60-0.90		0.15-0.2	-		.50	2.95	11
4100	Chrone-Volybdenum	-		0.80-1.10	0.60-0.90		0.25-0.40	-		.70	3.15	9
	(0.25-0.40 No)										Ø.	
4600	Mickel-L'olybéemen											
	(0.20-0.30 No.											
	1.30-0.20 N1)		•		0.40-0.70	1.65-2.00	0.20-0.20	-		1.05	3,50	7
20.00	Chronium											
	(0.60-0.90 Cr)	•	•	0.60-0.90	0.30-0.90		•	• /	_	.35	8.00	13
5100	Chronium							,	•		4.	
	(0.80-1.10 Cr)		•	0.80-1.10	•			•		.45	2.90	12
8100	Chronium Spring		•	•		•	•	•		Beee	. 2.45	15
6700	Chrone-Yamdism Bar			0.80-1.10	0.30-0.90		- 0	.10		1.20	3.65	6
6100	Chrone-Venedium Spring			•	•		•	-		.70	3.15	•
	Chrom-Hickel-Vanedium						•	•		1.50	3.95	4
	Carbon-Tamdius						-			.95	3.40	

The store prices are for het-relied steel bors. The usual differential for electric furnees steel is \$0.50 higher per 100 lb.

The above table is based on the price for bors which are electrical area under 4x4 in. or equivalent. Slabs with a sectional area of 16 eq. in. and S-1/S in. thick or over are considered as billets which have a base price of \$40 per gross ton, or \$2.10 per 100 lb. Sections 4x4 in. to 10x10 in. or equivalent carry a gross ton price which is the net price for bare for the same analysis. Larger sives carry extras.

<sup>\*</sup> Iron Ago 4-20-38.

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# II. ECONOMICS OF A "COME-BACK" FOR VANA-DIUM. COST OF PRODUCTION AND PROBABLE MARKET VALUE AT THE STEEL MILL

Some general information respecting the economic phases of vanadium consumption in this country has a bearing on the subject of this report because this information will be helpful in reaching a conclusion as to policy questions. In general, a certain step which might be considered to involve some hazard might be followed if there were an assurance of very large possible gains, whereas the same step might not be taken were it shown that the most optimistic outcome as to the final monetary returns would not warrant disturbing other economic factors.

Fig. 1 charts the tonnage statistics of vanadium in the United States since 1914, as plotted by Mr. Judd of our Mining Department, from "Mineral Resources" and elsewhere. As previously noted, the World War and the Business Depression have introduced such vagaries that it is impossible to draw conclusions as to stabilized trends of consumption. The disturbances to normal business have further been augmented in effect as regards vanadium by the substitution of other and cheaper alloying elements, and it may indeed be questioned as to whether or not this latter encroachment has not been allowed to get out of control at this late date. Similar data have also been plotted by Mr. Judd for molybdenum over the same period (Fig. 2).

Statistics on the production of ore or even contained vanadium do not clearly show the amount of vanadium actually consumed by the whole country. At times, certain amounts of vanadium have been bought in the market and neld for later sales; at other times, vanadium has been

ifol. 260] produced above requirements and stored as oxide against future sales. Since we are not the only producers, for have we heretofore been the chief ones, it is not accurate to base total consumption of past years on our own ales. Due to a change in conditions however, our chief

competitor and formerly the principal producer, has come to us, it is understood, for a very considerable portion of his oxide; what proportion this was in 1934 and since, the writer has not learned. From conversation with those best informed in our own company, this figure has been taken at about 7/10 of his requirements. For 1934, this would give us a close estimate of the business when equated to pounds of contained vanadium.

In answer to some specific inquiries, Mr. Judd has furnished his opinions based on studies of the statistics, and

these are condensed as follows:

1—Heretofore the imports have supplied about 60% and domestic production about 40% of this country's vanadium requirements.

- 2—It will be noted from Fig. 1 that imports ceased in 1931 and resumed momentarily in 1934. This 1934 importation was a small lot of Peruvian ore, and it is thought that the Minaes Ragras district is out as an active source of supply.
- 3—It is believed that at present between 90 and 95% of the vanadium consumed in America goes into steel.
- 4—It is believed that for the seven years ending with 1933, the U.S. Vanadium Corporation sold about 25% of the ferrovanadium used in this country.

Some useful information can be obtained from Table VII which was arranged from data supplied by Mr. C. O. Jacoby and from other sources, and most of it is probably quite accurate; even where unsupported by figures, the

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[fol. 261] assumptions are probably close enough to serve adequately for present purposes.

#### TABLE VII

Sales by

U. S. Vanadium Corp. and Electro Metallurgical Co., By Years and Grades

	High	Spend	Open	Hearth		rer 134 T	
Year	Lb.	C. Total	1.1.	C Tetal	Lh.	te Total	Total
1927	61,128	37.3	45,329	27.5	57,414	35.0	163,871
1928	90,039	18.3	312,874	63.4	89,519	18.2	492,432
1929	13,540	3.93	165,400	47.9	166,283	48.1	345,223
1930	3,772	2.57	79,641	54.2	63,944	43.5	147,357
1931	469	.3	101,580	64.8	56,205	35.4	158,254
1932	- 563	.9	43,578	66.5	21,606	32.8	65,747
1933	1,402	ċ.	208,930	76.6	61.897	22.8	272,929
1934	3,034	1.4	189,875*	67.5	24,722	11.3	217,631*
	173,947		1,147,207		541,590		1.862,744

Includes 28,409 lb. of vanadium in Open Hearth Grade not of our own manufacture.

\* Note: Percentage calculations by Slide Rule.

The total vanadium sales by the United States Vanadium Corporation, in the form of ferrovanadium, for 1927 to 1934 inclusive, were 1,862,744 lb. To this must, be added 1,071,718 lb. of vanadium oxide for the same period, which at 85% purity and equated to vanadium gives 510,037 lb. of vanadium, making a total of 2,372,781 lb. of vanadium. If this be 25% of the total for the period, then the country consumed 9,491,124 lb., or an average of 1,186,390 lb. per year. Because we may not be justified in saying that we sold about 25% of the United States requirements in any given year, it is not possible to say that Table VII is a scaled picture of the annual consumption, and the conciusions will have to be made on the basis of averages.

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TABLE VIII

#### Sales of Vanadium-Lb.

	A	- Sales of V to	В			
Year	High Speed	Open Hearth	Special	Total	Total of Sales	$\mathbf{A} + \mathbf{B}$
1930	_	54,157	32,737	86,894	147,357	59.0
1931	291	82,844	33,974	117,109	158,254	74.5
1932	328	33,878	12,818	47,024	66,747	71.5
1933	768	221,651	32,706	255,125	272,229	68.7
1934	1926	15,872	47,417	200,215	217,631	92.2

Table VIII presents a breakdown of the twelve principal U.S. Vanadium Corporation customers, showing their purchases by grades for the period 1930 to 1934 inclusive. It should be remembered that the specifications and uses of the grades are as follows:

	Uses	Price per Lb.	ANALYSIS				
Grade			Max.	% Cr	% Mn	% V	Max.
Open Hearth	Misc. engineering steels, S.A.E. type of steels, etc.	\$2.70	3.00	-	-	35-40	8.00
Special	High speed steels	2.80	1.00	_	_	35-40	4.00
High Speed*	High speed steels	2.90	0.20	_		35-40	1.50

<sup>·</sup> Nearly obsolete.

"Special" has replaced "High Speed" for the requirements of all except one or two customers. Inspection of the records shows that the total number of customers by years is as follows:

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Year	No. of Customers
1930	54
1931	50
1932	45
1933	52
1934	41

It is apparent that no great change has occurred in the number of customers until 1934, when there is a substantial reduction—at least as far as we are concerned; this might or might not be due to a loss of business to a competitor. The quantity of metallic vanadium sold by us in 1934 (217,631 lb.) is lower than the average of the period 1927 to 1934 (233,468 lb.). This may be taken to indicate that nothing toward new applications has developed among the users.

Inspection of Table VIII shows that the twelve principal customers have consumed from 59.0 to 92.2% of our total sales of vanadium in the form of ferrovanadium.

From Table VII it is evident that the preponderant amount of vanadium is sold as "open hearth" grade, that it comprised about 61% of the total sales, and that it is on the ascendency, while "special" accounted for only about 28% of the sales and it is on the decline.

Taking the cost of  $V_2O_5$  as  $40\phi$  per lb., and allowing 2 lb. of  $V_2O_5$  to produce 1 lb. of contained vanadium and  $46\phi$  per lb. of vanadium for the conversion charge, we got a production cost of  $80\phi + 46\phi = \$1.26$  per lb. of vanadium. On the basis that our previous costs have been \$1.70 per lb. -36-

[fol. 264] of vanadium and that we sold at \$2.70 per lb., we could cut the price to \$2.10 per lb. and still make the same *percentage* profit on costs as at the present schedule.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Letter from J. R. Van Fleet to C. E. MacQuigg, p. 53 of Appendix.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Statement from E. M. Company to C. E. MacQuigg.

(This may be compared with the estimated reduction to \$1.58 per lb. given on page 24 of this report.)

As against our position in the vanadium field, we must consider the position of the Vanadium Corporation of America. The data pertaining to this will be found in Mr. Van Fleet's letter to Mr. Haggerson, dated August 10, 1934, in the Appendix to this report. It is not believed that the conclusions therein which are unfavorable economically to the Vanadium Corporation of America, are to be modified in view of what has been learned since the letter was written.

As an indication of what business might be expected in case we decided to cut the price to such an extent that competition in this country were practically eliminated (or by other means such as agreements) and we sold all of the vanadium, three possible assumptions are presented:

- I—We get all of the business in vanadium, but due to the recent trend and in spite of research and development it continues to decline, and therefore in a few years there is little demand for the metal. This assumption is rejected as most unlikely.
- II—Business remains the same, but we produce practically all of the vanadium. On the basis of roughly 1,000,000 lb. of vanadium consumed annually, our profit at 84¢ (\$2.10 \$1.26) would be \$1,141,335 as against a past and present profit of around \$297,199 per year (\$1.00 × 297,199). From the gross profits, we would have to deduct the cost of research and development mentioned later—a total of some \$300,000 over a period of three to five years. Even so, the margin of profit is quite attractive, say, in the neighborhood of \$1,141,335 \$100,000 = \$1,041,335 for three years, and after that time possibly larger, depending on the demand.

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III—Prices are cut still further so that our profit is only 50¢ per lb. (i.e., vanadium sells at \$1.76). This reduction in price with the results of our research and development programs, so boosts the consump-

tion of vanadium that the sale is increased to 2,000,000 lb, per annum. The net profit is still the same as under Assumption II. Some additional advantages might be obtained, as for example those resulting from a new deoxidizer which might use vanadium in large quantities, and while we might make only 50c on the contained vanadium we would make a profit on the other elements. Patent protection on such an alloy would be highly advantageous if the alloy had exceptional merit; it is not fanciful to assume such possibilities.

Several conclusions are possible regarding the course that may be indicated by the facts noted in this report, and these may be summarized as follows:

#### Possible Action

# I. Take no aggressive action, but continue to let V.C.A. dominate the market and we sell to them—predicated on a continuation of their patronage.

# Favorable Results

- a. We take no risk on illwill or a possible disturbance of the "status quo" in other fields.
- b. We will sell the bulk of the vanadium, with no stimulated competition.

# Unfavorable Results

- a. There is no indication that such a policy will do other than kill all of the disappearing vanadium market, after which there will be no business for anyone.
- b. If matters are allowed to drift as at present, the vanadium business will continue to disappear and the V.C.A. will in time be defunct or at least moribund, thus forcing them into the hands of the present holders of a substantial portion of their bonded indebtedness, and the

Possible Action

Favorable Results

Unfavorable Results

latter interests may be expected to make the most of the situation in the whole alloy field.

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II. We sell to V.C.A.
but compel them to
take an aggressive
attitude toward
stimulating the
waning demand for
vanadium.

- Will avoid friction with the V.C.A., thus minimizing their entry into stronger competition with us in other alloys, e.g., silicon and chromium.
- b. V.C.A. competition would be most serious in chromium, and it is doubtful if they could menace us without ample supplies of ores. Any mutual agreements would not be jeopardized by this arrangement.
- c. The V.C.A. will probably be no sharper a competitor than at present and if they are absorbed by A.R.Co., they will most likely get "tough" anyway.
- III. We set our own lowered price and by an energetic campaign, we eliminate
- a. We can dominate the market and obtain the bulk of the business by virtue of our better eco-

a. This ties our hands and prevents us from obtaining the bulk of the business through research and development.

 a. We give every cause for retaliation from V.C.A. and one of their large bondholdPossible Action

V.C.A. from the field.

Favorable Results

nomic position and ore supplies.

- b. We have a free rein to develop new markets and peg the declining use of vanadium.
- c. We can eliminate V.C.A. as a desirable adjunct to our competitor in other fields.

Unfavorable Results

ers who would seek every opportunity to thwart us in any possible way.

b. Competition would be engendered needlessly because of the chance that vanadium as a major steel making element is done for.

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III. NEW POSSIBILITIES FOR EXPANDING THE MARKET IN METALLURGY AND FOR OTHER USES IN TECHNOLOGY. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

### 1. Research

- (a) Active experimentation is under way at Niagara today, looking toward the development of addition agents which will make use of vanadium, and more particularly tie it in with other of our products such as silicon and manganese in such a fashion as to augment the useful effects of all. There is sound metallurgical reasoning back of such researches, and success is confidently looked for.
  - (b) A process recently acquired by the Corporation concerns the use of vanadium for the penetrative dyeing of leather. By means of this process, the entire thickness of the leather is adequately colored. It applies particularly to the soft leathers used in shoe uppers, although it may possibly be expanded to the heavier grades. This is protected by what we judge to be a broad basic patent application which is prosecuted by us and which should enable us to control the sale of sodium vanadate in very large quantities for the carrying out of this process.

(c) The exploitation of vanadium in cast iron is a possibility which should not be lost sight of and one which we can develop to some extent through work with our own experimental cupola. This development would seem to depend more directly than others on the cost of vanadium. It hardly seems likely that any widespread applications to cast iron metallurgy are possible at the present cost of vanadium.

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# 2. Non-Ferrous Metallurgy

This is not cataloged under the heading of our own research, since it is believed that more rapid advance could be made by our staff working with the development departments of the manufacturers of non-ferrous alloys. When, as, and if the price of vanadium can be substantially-reduced, then it would seem reasonable that we may catalyze the investigation of applications to bronzes and other non-ferrous alloys. It should be pointed out that beryllium, at a cost of several dollars per pound, is finding its use in copper alloys on the increase. This field looks attractive, at least.

# 3. Vanadium Catalysts

It is generally believed that vanadium affords the most efficient catalysts for a great number of chemical processes, and that the reason it is not more widely used is partly because of a patent situation, but chiefly because of its cost. The study of vanadium catalyst development was excluded from this report, but any substantial lowering of the selling price would be reflected in increased consumption of "red cake."

## 4. Metallic Vanadium

It is admitted that the properties and possible uses of metallic vanadium are too speculative for the purposes of this report, but it is felt that if an aggressive policy of development is going to be adopted with our production of vanadium, then a research on metallic vanadium is surely justified. While the specific attributes of the metal in its pure form in a commercial environment can be guessed at only, it is undeniable that ample precedent exists from

[fol. 269] other metals for saying that such a research is a very attractive gamble. Today the best-informed metal-lurgist would hesitate to deny the likelihood of unusual and valuable properties being found in, say, an alloy with 13% vanadium and 87% manganese or 87% vanadium and 13% chromium, or any one of many combinations of pure metals that might be made under the "rule of 13%." Vanadium should be capable of production in a substantially pure state if sufficiently useful properties justify its commercial manufacture.

In conclusion, it is evident that from the research angle the Electro Metallurgical Company is in a most favorable position to further exploit vanadium. This is chiefly because of the Laboratory facilities, the experience of the staff trained in alloy steel metallurgy, and the contacts of the Sales-Development Department with the steel makers. Because of these facilities, it would seem that the likelihood of getting the most success from a development program is almost beyond doubt. On the other hand, such a research and development program would have to be carefully planned and energetically followed in all of its ramifications, such as (a) new deoxidizers and their applications in steel, (b) work to apply vanadium in cast iron metallurgy, (c) catalyst developments, (d) cooperative work on vanadium bronzes and light alloy metallurgy, and (e) miscellaneous uses as in the leather tanning industry, ceramics, etc. Such a program would easily require major efforts for three to five years as a minimum, and for the metallurgical research alone would cost from \$50,000 to \$100,000 per year, or a total of \$300,000. The first 1 or 11/2 years might be expected to reach the top figure if the program

<sup>\*</sup>Reference is made here to the unique properties that have characterized iron with 13% silicon (Duriron), iron with 13% chromium, iron with 13% manganese (Hadfield's austenitic steel).

[fol. 270] be intensively pursued; the later periods of the work would likely not exceed the smaller amount. The reason for this rather large expenditure to extend the use of an element already established is due to the fact that the users, because of its high cost, have learned to depend on satisfactory substitutes (notably molybdenum) and it would be necessary to overcome the present momentum in the direction away from the use of vanadium. One effective way to swing the tide back toward vanadium would be by showing the great superiority of new combinations.

In spite of some adverse factors, it appears that the hope of success is sufficient to warrant the undertaking of placing a cheapened vanadium in much greater use, and unless totally unforeseen developments occur it does not seem too much to expect the Research Department to practically assure a successful outcome to such a program. However, as soon as the logical price reduction is decided upon but before final decision is made on the steps to be taken, some time should be given the Research and Sales-Development Departments to consider and present a joint program for approval.

#### Conclusions

- Unless we are entirely misled by our own figures, we seem to be in the key position in the vanadium business in America, and are therefore in a position to dominate the situation.
- 2. The metallurgical use of vanadium has been declining for several years and probably will continue to do so because of the present cost to the user.
- 3. The declining use could be stayed and probably a greatly increased consumption could be built up by research and development work.
- 4. It is believed that the metallurgical use of vanadium could be revived possibly up to between 1/4 and 1/2

[fol. 271] again the magnitude of the present consumption in this country. This would require an in-

tensive program of research and development work which might cost from \$200,000 to \$300,000.

5. The total consumption of vanadium for the country, based on a fair approach to normal business, would be about 1,306,000 lb. per year, and this might be pushed up to a consumption of 1,800,000 lb. per annum, or more. The profits on this business on the present basis of calculation would be between 50 and 75¢ per lb., provided the price schedules suggested are put into effect. The total pounds sold by the U.S. Vanadium Corporation under such circumstances would be an indeterminate matter of competition.

#### Recommendations

That a decision be made respecting the three possible courses suggested, and in any event an arrangement effected whereby our supplies of vanadium can be successfully exploited.

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# IV. APPENDIX. COLLATERAL INFORMATION

In view of their opportunities to obtain current information on both the metallurgical and the commercial angles of the vanadium question, the opinion and advice of Messrs. DuTot, Good, Smith and Crafts have been obtained in personal conferences, and the writer wishes to express his indebtedness to these gentlemen who have assisted him with their counsel. Their collective opinions may be summarized as follows:

Vanadium has at present three more-or-less assured fields of commercial importance. By "assured" is meant that the effects of vanadium are so beneficial as to be axiomatic, and the regard in which it is held is so high that it would take much effort to dislodge it from its position. These applications are:

# (a) High Speed Steels

This subject has already been touched upon, and the information received from the conferences with our field staff

merely confirmed what was generally known. Incidentally, it is understood that Mr. Clarage recently told one of our men that their research work had demonstrated the exceptionally high quality of the molybdenum high speed steels (Watertown Arsenal type), and his tip to Electro Metallurgical Company was "to locate some good supplies of molybdenum ores!" The molybdenum high speed steels also use vanadium and have analyses in the following ranges:

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	MoTung	MoMax
Carbon	0.76%	0.78%
Manganese	0.30	_
Silicon	0.30	_
Tungsten	1.60	2.06
Molybdenum	7.90	8.18
Chromium	3.85	5.25
Vanadium	1.10	1.01

# (b) High Tensile Forgings and Castings

These have already been referred to, and a class example given as the railroad heavy forgings and castings. American Steel Foundries are using vanadium in their mediummanganese steel castings, and Mr. Hamilton, the Metallurgist, is convinced of the superiority of their analysis.

## (c) Small Additions to Sundry Steels

There is a widespread use of vanadium as an addition to quality steels of diverse analyses; this is not large as to tonnage, but is rather general and is the field referred to by Mr. Byrd (page 11). The additions are small so that residual vanadium is not more than 0.03 to 0.05%, but it is generally conceded that these additions represent the compromise between the cost of alloy and beneficiation of the steel through its presence.

With respect to cast iron the outlook that might be obtained from a study of the very meager literature is not justified when it comes to actual shop tests. Mr. E. K. Smith believes that any improvement in the properties of cast iron could be obtained by other addition agents which

we also make and at a much lower cost; e.g., silicon and chromium. The latter two in balanced proportions would, in Mr. Smith's opinion, enhance the quality of east iron fully as much as would vanadium.

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[fol. 274] It is the writer's belief that the extent to which vanadium usage can be expanded in the east iron field is dependent chiefly on the amount the price can be lowered. With reductions of substantial nature, say, 35 to 50%, it seems probable that vanadium may take its place along with chromium and silicon additions in the production of the so-called high test cast iron.

## ELECTRO METALLURGICAL CO. NEW YORK

Mr. F. H. Haggerson Room 1714

April 10, 1935

Subject: Survey of Alloy Steels Used by Automobile Companies

# Dear Mr. Haggerson:

This report indicates that molybdenum is making greater inroads on nickel than on chromium. Vanadium is certainly losing out. At our present price, 0.15 to 0.18% vanadium adds \$15.40 per net ton to the mill cost of steel. One per cent. of chromium adds about \$3.00 per ton to mill cost. Molybdenum, 0.15% to 0.25%, adds about \$3.50 per net ton to mill cost.

To make vanadium compete with molybdenum on a cost basis, our price would have to be reduced from the present value, \$2.70 per lb. to about 60¢ per lb. contained.

I plan to bring this up for discussion at our next Research and Development meeting. We may be able to develop a steel with good properties with 1.00% chromium and about 0.10% vanadium. We might be able to create an interest in this if the present price of vanadium were cut in half. Pardon my marking the report in pencil. Thought it would facilitate comparing the different S.A.E. numbers.

Very truly yours,

WJP-EVL

(signed) W. J. PRIESTLEY

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### SURVEY OF ALLOY STEELS USED BY AUTO-MOBILE COMPANIES

Approximately 300,000 tons of alloy ingots were consumed in 1934 in the production of 2,778,739 passenger cars and trucks. This year production of automobiles is running about 40% higher, so that the tonnage of alloy steel ingots for this industry should exceed 400,000 tons and ferro-alloy sales for this purpose should be higher than in 1934 but not in the same proportion on account of the change in grades of alloy steel being applied to the various parts of the cars.

In respect to the consumption of ferrochrome in particular, sufficient evidence was obtained to warrant the belief that this alloy will continue in popularity despite the present attitude of the Chrysler Corporation towards carbon-molybdenum steels as the following will show a definite trend in favor of cheaper steels, most of which contain chromium.

Recent advances in the art of steel making have permitted progressive steel makers to control grain size which exerts a powerful influence on machinability, depth hardening, impact resistance and forgeability. Through a combination of grain size control and alloy additions, the properties of the various alloy steels have been noticeably improved to such an extent that nickel, an element frequently used to impart toughness, is not so essential as formerly. Chromium, however, is required for high strength, although molybdenum occupies a definite position in the trade today. Mr. Ferrell of Timken advised me that the addition of a small amount (0.25%) of chromium to Wills' carbon-molybdenum steel would further improve it.

While passenger cars are being constructed of cheaper and better-made steel, truck production follows a reverse trend; i.e., higher percentages of alloying elements for further improvement in strength, along with similar rigid requirements on grain size, are in demand because truck operators exercise no discretion when loading; consequently trucks overloaded 500 to 1000% fail, and criticism of the builder results.

As indicated in my preliminary report, the Chrysler organization is enthusiastic over Mola, a fine-grained abnormal molybdenum-bearing carbon steel, and anyone listening to their account of its marvelous properties without talking to others who may be interested will probably come away with a gloomy opinion of other steels made with nickel, chromium or vanadium. However, it is particularly interesting to us to know that (1) other automobile metallurgists show no enthusiasm, although they are interested; (2) steel companies are not anxieus to push this grade; (3) the sales price will have to be increased to permit a profit for the steel company; and (4) Dodge faces a \$100,000 outlay for new heat-treating equipment to handle the steel.

It is also true that the claims made for the properties of Mola steel by Wills and McCleary with respect to surface—48—

[fol. 276] decarburization, better finish, uniformity, etc., are the result of first, selection of the most suitable heat, and second, special care by all mill operators. Whereas Wills looks upon this steel as ordinary carbon steel plus 0.25% molybdenum, the steel mill operator who made similar steel years ago (see Carnegie Handbook) considers it a very difficult proposition.

(From "The Making, Shaping and Treating of Steel." In the hot working of this steel no benefits that can be attributed to the presence of molybdenum are observed, and many surface defects common in working plain carbon steel may appear in the molybdenum steel, also.)

The Mola steel is made today by treating it in the ladle with upwards of 1½ lb. of aluminum per ton. Such practices are not conducive to the production of clean steel but are

helpful to bloom surfaces and aid in the formation of finegrained structures.

Mr. McCleary claimed that 1 in. round Mola steel samples quenched and drawn to a tensile strength of 88,000 lb. per sq. in. could be twisted 525° before rupture, while the steel formerly used for rear axles had a maximum twist angle of rupture of 320°. He claimed further that leaf springs of "satisfactory" Mola steel could be bent 135° before failure even though 444 Brinell, while other steel at the same hardness could be broken at 45°.

Republic Steel Corporation metallurgists are pushing chromium and chromium-nickel steels of the #3100 and #5100 type. The Research Department has built a testing device that simulates transmission gear conditions, and they are testing present standard grades of alloy steels to determine, if possible, the most suitable grade of steel for gear units.

Timken developed and are promoting a nickel-molybdenum steel with 0.55 to 0.65% chromium, similar to S.A.E. #4615, for all highly stressed parts, and have considerable confidence in its quality.

Pittsburgh Crucible are devoting particular attention to the production of higher manganese steels containing from 1.00 to 2.50% manganese.

The U. S. Steel Corporation metallurgists favor carbon steel with grain size control, but make and study the production of alloy steels with a view towards furnishing better quality and service than their competitors.

Jones & Laughlin and Great Lakes favor high manganese (1.25 to 2.50% manganese) with and without sulphur for machinability, but make some other grades depending on mill equipment; for instance, Great Lakes have produced large tonnages of chromium steel for Ford leaf springs.

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Grades of Steel Used for Important Parts, with Comments

Crankshaft

Ten years ago alloyed steel was used for this important part of the engine; today practically all crankshafts are forged from S.A.E. #1045 (see attached chart of S.A.E.

grades). Ford used a copper chrome-iron steel shaft that serves the purpose satisfactorily.

Carbon	1.25-1.40%
Manganese	0.50 - 0.60
Silicon	1.90-2.10
Chromium	0.35 - 0.40
Copper	2.50-2.75
Phosphorus	0.10 max.
Sulphur	0.06 "

## Leaf Springs

With the exception of several automobile makers, most leaf springs are made of silico-manganese (S.A.E. #9255 or #9260) steel. Front springs of trucks have been principally chrome-vanadium (#6150), but Chevrolet is experimenting with chromium steel (#5150) on all cars. Ford and Hupp use #5150; Chrysler is using Mola.

The leaf spring plants, Mather and Standard, prefer #5150 to #9255 on account of greater uniformity of hardness after heat treatment. Standard Steel Spring report 10 to 15% production of chromium steel during past six months, whereas previous to that time the silico-manganese and carbon steels were the only grades used.

Republic Steel Corporation find less demand for silico-

manganese spring steel.

Illinois Steel Company would like to add 0.25 to 0.50% chromium to thick leaf springs of silico-manganese type to obtain better physical properties, but buyers object to any increase in cost.

Coil springs have been made of the same steel as leaf springs depending on the experience of the automobile

company.

#### Connecting Rods

Oldsmobile and LaSalle use #1340, Cadillac #4140, all others use S.A.E. #1035 or #1040. The carbon steel is quenched and drawn, the #1340 normalized. Any reduction in heat treating costs is very attractive to automobile makers.

Transmission Gears

Principal changes: Chevrolet planning to supplant -50-

[fol. 278] #6150 with #5150; Hudson-Terraplane has substituted #4640 for #3440; Hupmobile changed from #5150 to #4640.

Ford continues in the use of chromium and chrome-vanadium; Wandersee has no confidence in nickel-molybdenum steel for this highly important part. Pontiac favors #3145 over #2345.

Buses and trucks have been built with carburized transmission gears and as noted above, passenger cars of oil-hardening types. A difference of opinion between these two grades will always exist, the cost of heat treating a 0.40 or 0.45% carbon steel is far less than carburizing a 0.15 or 0.20% carbon nickel-molybdenum steel. The surface hardness of carburized steel will measure 60 Rockwell C, with a core hardness of 30 on #4615 or 40 on #2512, but 45 on #4615 plus 0.55% chromium. Oil-hardened gears have a surface hardness of 50 to 55 Rockwell C.

Between  $3\frac{1}{2}\%$  nickel (#2300) and  $1\frac{1}{2}\%$  nickel-molybdenum (#4600), the #2300 is more difficult to machine than #4600, even though the latter is fine-grained. Higher nickel steels show additional resistance to machining over  $3\frac{1}{2}\%$  nickel steels.

# Differential Gears

These parts suffer as much abuse in the hands of the average driver as transmission gears, and the selection of steel depends on design with respect to unit pressures and the power plant; however, there is a preference for carburized ring gears with oil-hardened pinions and side gears.

Here we find several changes—mainly, towards nickel-molybdenum. Olds changed from 5% nickel (#2512) to 1½% nickel-molybdenum (4615); Hupp from 3½% nickel (#2315) to 1½% nickel-molybdenum (#4615); Nash continues to use oil-hardened #2350 and specifies electric furnace steel.

Several companies are beginning to question the advertised claims for electric furnace steel superiority.

# Steering Knuckles, Pins, Etc.

Olds, Buick, LaSalle and Cadillac favor the use of 1.60 to 1.90% or 1.35 to 1.65% manganese steels, designing the part a little heavier than if higher strength steels were used.

Ford favors straight chromium steel; Hupp changed from chromium-nickel (#3100) to chrome-molybdenum (#4130); Hudson made the same change; Chrysler plans to use Mola.

#### Camshafts

Wherever possible I believe chromium-bearing chilled cast iron has been used; however, on some automobiles a —51—

[fol. 279] gear is located in the center of this shaft which prohibits the use of chilled iron. In other cars carburized carbon steel #1015 or #1020 is used. There is not much difference in cost according to Mr. Smart of Pontiac.

#### Axle Shafts

Front I-beam axles are made of carbon steel (#1040)

• Chevrolet, nickel-molybdenum (#3140) Pontiac, high manganese (#1300) Olds, but Hudson substituted chrome-molybdenum (#4140) for chromium-nickel (#3140), while Ford uses chromium steel.

Rear axles are made of #3140, #4615 and Mola for Chevrolet, Olds and Chrysler respectively.

International Harvester trucks are using chromiumnickel-molybdenum drive shafts in place of #4640 and #3140; they also are changing from 1½% nickel-molybdenum to 3½% nickel or 5% nickel steel gears for higher strength.

# Wrist-pins

Ford uses a low chromium (Type N) eyanided steel, Olds and Buick a #1300 steel with high sulphur, Cadillac and LaSalle a 5% nickel carburized part. Hudson changed from #2315 to #4615, Hupp from #6115 to X-1315; Chevrolet uses #5100, and Chrysler 3½ and 5% nickel.

Exhaust Valves

Practically all these parts contain substantial percentages of chromium to resist the corroding influence of the hot gases. Hupp, for instance, buy their valves from Wilcox who furnish steel containing 14% chromium, 14% nickel and 3% tungsten.

Body Bolts, Studs, Spring Clips, Etc.

Highly stressed bolts are either chromium-nickel, high manganese or nickel-molybdenum depending on local opinion, advice from steel supplier and machinability.

Small Forgings, Etc.

Links in the front and knee action design, spline shafts and other less highly stressed parts are made of practically the same steel and for the same reasons given in the

preceding paragraph.

Spicer Manufacturing Company considers Timken's nickel-molybdenum plus 0.55% chromium steel one of the best they have ever used, and use more of this grade than any other for transmission gears, differentials, etc., that are furnished in the assembled condition to passenger car builders.

Much of the above information was obtained only by advising those interviewed that the information would not be -52-

[fol. 280] published or broadcast. A number of visits proved very interesting and I was pleased at the cordial reception in nearly every instance. I believe this may be credited to the popularity of Electromet alloys.

(signed) R. C. Good

RCG:S

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Antomobile	duction por	Cronksbaft	Fron & Spring	Beng Spring	Connecting	Trenand solon	Differential Geare	Stooring	art-term	velo Shoft	Oct. shaft	Ketallurgiet
Auburn	200		9260	9260	1035							Th. Cas
Chevrolet	25000	1045	5150	5150	1056	5150	4815	3130	5150	1040 3140		Hann, E.O.
Pontiao	4000	1045	5150	5150	1055	3145	4818	1300		3140	1020	Smart, C.H.
014.	4200 .	1045	9260	9255	1340	3150	4615	1340	x1514	1340 4615		Fothoway, Crawford
Bulok	1500	1045	9260	9255	1040	51 50	4615A	1340	1115	1500		Schenck, R.B.
LaSalle	500	1045	9255	9255	1540	4620	4620	1340	2512		1015	Danse
Cadillao	200	1045	9255	9255	4140	4620	x4620Y	1340	2512		1015	Dans e
All Chrysler	20000	1045	M	M	1035	M	n	N	2312 2512	u		MoCleary
Reo	860	1045	9255	9255		4615	4615					Coates, 4.
Hadson	2500	1045	9255	9255	1045	4 640	4620	4130	4615	4140		Cagnon,J.C.
Packard	400	1045		Eo che	nge fr	om la	st year			1		Graves
Happ	450	1045	61 60	61 60	1035	4640	4615	4150	x1515	4630	1020	Vatson
Studebaker	1600	1040	9255	9215	1035	4620 5100	4615	4140	4615	1040	1020	Harris,J.
Eash	1550	1040	9260	9260		4615	2360	5150	1015	1025	1020	Anglin
Pord	37500	Cast	6160	61 50	1040	6115	6115 5150	5130	Y	8140		fandersee, J.
Overland	400	1040	61 50	5150	1040	5150	5116 2515	1040 4130	1020	1040 4130	1020	Weir, Sam

International Harvester trucks using CrNil's steel for drive shafts in place of Orni formerly; 5-1/2 Hi in place of CrNi; CrNi in place of C steel. Caterpillor Tractor changing from elec. to 0.H. ;2545 for all gears and heavy shafts; links, rollers made of \$1046; stude and bolts of \$5125 and 10.20.90. Use of Cor-Ten steel growing.

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# IN UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

# PLAINTIFFS' EXHIBIT No. 48 FOR IDENTIFICATION F. P. GORMELY'S OFFICE.

NEW YORK CITY

July 29, 1935

Mr. Blair Burwell, United States Vanadium Corporation, Rifle, Colorado.

Vanadium Situation

Mr. C. E. MacQuigg. Mr. J. M. Price. Mr. W. J. Priestley. Mr. J. R. Van Fleet.

# Dear Mr. Burwell:

Confirming our talk and Mr. MacQuigg's letter to me of July 22nd, copy to you, in which he confirms his talk with you on Saturday, July 20th, I understand that you have some slants on the Vanadium situation which you think should be added to Mr. MacQuigg's report of July 8th, before we make a definite decision as to what our future policy should be in an attempt to revive the Vanadium business or, at least, hold our present position.

With this in mind and because vacations are on now, I am suggesting that you and Mr. Van Fleet collaborate in a report commenting on Mr. MacQuigg's report and giving any additional ideas you may have which should be incorporated therein or any criticisms you may have as to his findings or suggestions.

We will all get together on this matter about the middle of September to decide on what our policy in the Vanadium situation should be.

Very truly yours,

B. B.

FPGormely/D

[Handwritten notation—sent copy to Mr. Van Fleet]

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U. S. Vanadium Corp.

COPY

Rifle, Colorado.

September 15, 1935.

Mr. J. R. Van Fleet, New York City.

#### VANADIUM REPORT.

Dear Mr. Van Fleet:

Mr. C. E. MacQuigg has well covered the vanadium situation in his report. The field covered is, by necessity, limited to markets and research in connection with the sales of vanadium. His conclusions and suggested policies such as price reductions to stabilize the present market and research development to extend the consumption of vanadium are well supported by his report.

My letter to you is mainly concerned with our position to produce vanadium in the future in such quantities as may be required by fundamental remedies in the situation. We may assume that the vanadium sitation is not to remain in the present condition. Either it will decline to a self-sustaining minimum which would deliver the market to the producer able to maintain small production and low cost, or price remedies will shift the business to the low cost producer, or new developments would give us a larger share of an increased industry.

Our ability to produce vanadium in the past has had little relationship to our ability to dispose of our production. The initial market of the Rifle operation was inherited from the Standard Chemical Company, and the Vanadium Corporation has held, from the momentum of its operation in Peru, the largest portion of the market. We know that the high grade ores from Peru are exhausted and the present reserves are in marginal ore requiring a treatment plant at costs approximately equal to the cost of the oxide they are now obtaining from us. It would be expensive for the Vanadium to resume production from Peru and they could not meet price competition and price reductions necessary to stabilize the market. Therefore, it would ap-

pear that our position to sell our future production is materially improved and may be developed in line with our strong position in ores in this country.

From our Rifle operation we still have stocks of vanadium produced at favorable prices. Among our other assets is the successful experience in development of sandstone ores, their treatment and large reserves of ore which are adapted to low cost production. But it must be emphasized that this vanadium is still in the ground in a region remote from transportation, and that the initial production of a new unit for future supply is limited, by engineering reasons, to approximately one-half of the present depressed market.

[fol. 283] No small part of the results of past operations has been due to the continued efforts of a well-developed organization. It resulted in the exploitation of the Rifle deposit in face of the adverse opinion of the Vanadium Corporation as to the economic value of that ore. A point of weakness in our present situation is the fact that only a skeleton exists of that organization and in a new area we must again start to train operators and create a machine for production. The proper time allowance for this build-up is essential and must be considered in any plans for vanadium.

The construction of a single initial unit will consume 56-man shifts for nine months. Three months of the year are unfavorable for construction. At the start we do not have water supply or facilities for 56 men so that the rate of construction must be small in the beginning while this is being provided. In the early months of the year, roads, and especially new roads unpacked by travel, make transportation difficult to and from the railroad. For these reasons we estimate that, in case production will be required in the end of 1936, or early in 1937, then we should start this Fall on water supply and other preliminary work.

Our plans are designed for an initial production of about 600,000 pounds of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> yearly. In this unit we will introduce such process improvements as have been developed to the plant stage and obtain a smooth operation and basis

for further expansion if required. The largest element of cost will be in mining and the largest possibility of cost reduction. The nature of the ore deposits makes necessary the development and preparation of a large number of places for mining in advance of production and by the early initiation of exploratory work and diamond drilling in mineral areas we can establish ourselves on a safe basis to supply an increased demand with low costs. A budget for this work is included in our estimated costs. To attempt an enlarged output on short notice would be to seriously handicap our production costs.

I would recommend that we cooperate closely with the Research Department in the development of non-ferrous salts directly from our plant solutions. The possible market in dyes, and in other non-ferrous uses can be materially assisted in its cost side if we can make the required salts simply and easily from the first plant solutions without the cost of precipitation and other steps now used. For example, we have the possibility of making metavanadate of approximately 99.5 purity directly from leach solutions by building up our solution strength and precipitating with ammonium chloride. In red cake we have a lower cost possibility and can continue our present high quality product with much economy. Work should be done on uranium salts, and the production of other byproducts which offer the opportunity of substantial return. I believe that the Research Department can assist us in research in connection with plant improvements looking towards lower costs.

The report by Mr. MacQuigg gives the basis of the market situation and it seems to me that the policy now indicated is largely a question of the timing of essential moves such as are required to maintain the market and to place us in a condition to produce vanadium in the future.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Blair Burwell Blair Burwell [fol. 284]

[Handwritten notation—Return—JR van Fleet.]

General Mining Department,

New York City. September 23, 1935.

Mr. F. H. Haggerson, Room 1715, Building.

#### VANADIUM SITUATION

Messrs. F. P. Gormely, W. H. Sneath, J. M. Price, C. E. MacQuigg.

### Dear Mr. Haggerson:

On September 1, 1935, we had in stock 1,812,127 pounds  $V_2O_5$  as fused vanadium oxide, and an equivalent of 600,000 pounds  $V_2O_5$  in ferro-vanadium at the various plants, making a total inventory of 2,412,127 pounds  $V_2O_5$  available on that date.

Place	Lbs. V in FeV	Lbs. $V_2O_5$
Rifle		1,054,958
Columbiana	290,026	97,157
Niagara	14,397	660,012
Welland	10,951	
Equivalent V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> in FeV	315,374	1,812,127
Equivalent V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> in FeV		600,000
Total V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> lbs.—9/1/35		2,412,127

Vanadium sales for the first eight months of 1935 have amounted to 138,138 lbs. V contained in FeV and 192,814 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  in fused oxide and other products. The Vanadium Corporation of America took 166,073 lbs. of the  $V_2O_5$  in fused oxide and the balance or 26,771 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  was sold as red cake and ammonium metavanadate. Equivalent  $V_2O_5$  up to September 1, 1935 sold is 455,300 lbs.

It is estimated that vanadium sales for the last four months of 1935 will average about 21,000 lbs. V in FeV per month. Also, 84,000 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  will be shipped to the Vanadium Corporation of America, and about 15,000 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  in the other products sold. The equivalent  $V_2O_5$  for the last four months sales is estimated at 258,600 lbs. and the remaining stock of  $V_2O_5$  on hand at the end of the year will be 1,698,227 pounds  $V_2O_5$  at all places and in all products.

Tabulated, the 1935 sales V contained in FeV and  $V_2O_5$  appears as under, with the last four (4) months estimated:

[fol. 285]		
1935	Lbs. V in FeV	Lbs. $V_2O_5$
January	23,558	2,305
February	7,347	1,015
March	15,332	5,915
April	14,985	5,014
May	19,539	6,775
June	16,903	532
July	19,215	87,655
August	21,259	83,603
8 months	138,138	192,814
Last 4 "	84,000	99,000
	222,138	291,814
Equivalent V.O. in FeV		422,086
Total lbs. V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>		713,900

On January 1, 1936 we should have available 2,153,527 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. It must be remembered that approximately 600,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> is always tied up in manufactured ferro-vanadium and that the plant requirements are approximately 500,000 lbs. V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> yearly, should sales continue about as experienced over the past three years and the usual stocks of FeV maintained. These stocks of finished FeV amount to approximately 300,000 lbs. contained V and is a little over a year's sales' requirements of FeV.

Available Sept. 1, 1935 Sales last 4 months 1935	2,412,127 258,600		V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>
Available Jan. 1, 1936	2,153,527	44	
V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> in FeV stocks	600,000	**	
	1,553,527	44	
Plant requirements 1936	500,000	44	
Available for sales	1,053,527	44	44

It may be seen from the above that there is only 1,000,000 lbs.  $V_2O_5$  available for sales until more  $V_2O_5$  is produced. It may also, be seen that with sales maintained at the present level, all of our stocks of  $V_2O_5$  will have been exhausted by the end of 1938, provided no fused oxide is sold. Being so limited in the amount of  $V_2O_5$  available for sales' purposes, we cannot take advantage of attractive business should it be offered. If we accepted 1,000,000 lbs. of fused oxide orders from the Vanadium Corporation of America or from Europe, we would be out of the vanadium business by the end of 1937.

Regardless of the substitution of other metals for vanadium in engineering steels, sales of FeV have remained about the same. It is apparent that the falling off in engineering steels is made up by the general improvement [fol. 286] in the steel business. Sales of V in FeV for the past nine (9) years are listed below, the sales for the last four (4) months of 1935 being estimated:

Lbs. V in FeV	Equiv. lbs. $V_2O_5$
163,870	311,350
492,500	935,750
345,220	655,920
148,400	281,960
158,710	301,550
70,300	133,570
286,410	544,180
227,600	432,450
222,140	422,100
2,115,150	4,018,830
	163,870 492,500 345,220 148,400 158,710 70,300 286,410 227,600 222,140

It safely may be assumed that the vanadium sales for 1936 will, at least, equal 1935. Records seem to indicate that we enjoy about 30% of the vanadium business, in which case the Vanadium Corporation will require about 1,000,000 lbs.  $V_*O_5$  for their 1936 business. We should sell them vanadic acid at a price low enough so that a source of supply elsewhere will not look attractive. I am quite certain that acid from the Peruvian mine costs more than 80 cents per pound  $V_*O_5$ , but it certainly isn't less than 75 cents.

It may be realized from the above that time is now an important feature of our vanadium situation. It will require a year's time in which to construct the plant in the Paradox Valley and get it into production. If this new plant is to be in production the last of 1936, some of the preparatory work should be started as soon as possible.

The new plant at Uravan—which the Paradox Plant site has been named, and which will be the name of the postoffice to be opened there—is estimated to cost \$366,000. During the Summer and Fall of 1934 the salt works—which is to be a part of any operation in the Paradox, was installed, and the power canal was cleaned out and repaired, with an expenditure of approximately \$16,000.

There is yet considerable preliminary work which can be done to advantage before the actual construction of the plant shall commence. During the Winter and Spring the weather is often bad in this section and would interfere with and make outside construction more costly. The work that can be done this Fall to advantage, would consist of repairing the buildings on the plant site for the housing of construction forces, putting in the water supply, finishing the re-instatement of the power plant, and moving from Rifle compressors and other equipment necessary for construction purposes. Also, there is a certain amount of [fol. 287] underground work in the mine which can be done to advantage with a small crew, preparatory to mining the ore bodies which have already been developed. The design for the construction of the plant calls for underground ore bins. The location for the plant is such that these underground ore bins can be made much larger and cheaper than bins constructed from timber or steel.

It is recommended that we proceed with this preparatory work this Fall and Winter with an expenditure not to exceed \$5,000 per month. There will be no additional overhead on this work, as we have the overhead anyway. With this work completed we will then be all ready for actual construction in the early Spring of 1936, and can have the first unit in operation by the end of 1936.

A single roaster plant on the Paradox ore will produce from 600,000 to 750,000 pounds of  $V_2O_5$  yearly, which will take care of our own needs and accumulate some excess. This capacity can rapidly be increased by the addition of roaster units. The plant has been designed to allow for expansion in case increased capacity is necessary.

In Mr. MacQuigg's research report of June 1935, his conclusion points out that it would, probably, be advisable to reduce the price of vanadium products to the trade. With the new plant in operation in the Paradox Valley the price can be considerably reduced and still make as much profit as we made on the Rifle production.

We took over the United States Vanadium Company on January 1, 1927, paying therefore in cash and securities a total value of \$2,275,000. In 1927 the Rifle property was set up on the books of the United States Vanadium Corporation as follows:

 Real Estate & Equipment
 — \$ 528,202.89

 Mine
 — 1,539,395.31

 Discovered Mine
 — 924,480.00

 Total Property Set-Up
 — \$2,992,078.20

This entire set-up was depreciated and depleted with the exception of \$25,000 on the production at Rifle, amounting to approximately, 7,000,000 pounds V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. The \$25,000 consists of \$21,000 real estate and equipment at Columbiana, and \$4,000 real estate at Rifle. This write-off amounted to 42¢ per pound on the production at Rifle; the average production costs at Rifle Plant were 38¢ per pound. The write-off on the Rifle production was not uniform over the

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years, and varied considerably, but the average cost of the  $V_2O_5$  in ferro-vanadium was from 80c to 85c per pound.

[fol. 288] The net profits, after all charges, on the Rifle operation to January 1, 1935, on approximately 4,600,000 pounds of  $V_2O_3$  sold, amounted to \$1,965,375.68 or approximately, 42e per pound of  $V_2O_3$  sold.

The present book value of all the property of the U. S. Vanadium Corporation is \$369,719.62. As stated above, approximately, \$25,000 of this amount is in real estate at Columbiana and Rifle. The balance of \$344,719.62 represents the value of the Paradox Valley property. With an additional expenditure of \$350,000 for the new Plant, the total investment in the Paradox Valley will amount to, approximately, \$695,000.

We own large vanadium resources in the Paradox Valley. There is measured and mined out on dumps on our property, a total of 148,170 tons of ore containing 5,300,000 pounds of recoverable V.O.. In addition, we have partly developed by underground workings and core drilling, 225,000 tons containing 8,100,000 pounds recoverable V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, making a total of developed resources amounting to 13,400,000 pounds of recoverable V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. In addition to this there is a prospective ore tonnage which can, reasonably, be estimated at a minimum of 10,000,000 pounds recoverable V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>; and the prospects in this section would indicate a plentiful supply of vanadium for many years to come.

If we should depreciate and deplete the Paradox investment of \$695,000 on the recoverable V.O. already developed—amounting to 13,400,000 pounds—these charges would amount to only 5.2c per pound of V.O. recovered, against the 42c necessary at Rifle. Estimates of the production costs in the Paradox indicate an ultimate low-cost operation. This cost has been placed at 40c per pound including the depreciation and depletion charges. From the Paradox operation we will, also, recover uranium and radium compounds which, if credited to the production of V.O., would somewhat lower the estimated cost of 40c per pound.

If we allow the same profit of  $42\epsilon$  per pound of  $V_zO_s$  sold, as experienced in the sales up to January 1, 1935, we can reduce the price of V in ferro-vanadium to \$2.10 and still have the same profit.

. V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>
0.40
.42
0.82
1.64
.46
2.10

[fol. 289] Realizing 25¢ per pound profit on V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> which would amount to 50¢ per pound of V in FeV, the sales price could be as low as \$1.76 per pound of V in FeV.

The policy of reducing prices must be carefully considered and it may be pointed out that as long as we supply V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> to the Vanadium Corporation of America, we cannot reduce the price without making some adjustment with them on the high-priced material they have purchased from us and are holding in inventory. Under the circumstances a reduction in price could not very well be made immediately.

Mr. MacQuigg's report also indicates that the consumption of vanadium could be considerably increased by developing new uses in research. He estimates that this research would require from 3 to 5 years at a cost of, approximately, \$300,000. There is no question in my mind but what research on new uses for vanadium, and research to stimulate the present uses for vanadium, is very important and essential to the future of the business.

A certain amount of this research should be done in connection with the plant operation in making V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>. Mr. Burwell has pointed out that the research of the non-ferrous uses can be materially assisted in its cost side, if we can make the required salts simply and easily from the first plant solutions, rendering the precipitation and other steps now used, unnecessary.

It may be pointed out, however, that there will be no necessity for research along any lines, unless we are in position to take advantage of it on the production side. Unless we prepare for renewed production of  $V_2O_3$  we will be out of the vanadium business within three years.

#### Very truly yours.

EW/J.R. Van Fleet IC Enc.

[fol. 290]

General Mining Department,

New York City.

September 23, 1935.

Mr. F. H. Haggerson, Room 1715, Building.

VANADIUM SITUATION.

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It is estimated that vanadium sales for the last four months of 1935 will average about 21,000 lbs. V in FeV per month. Also, 84,000 lbs. V2O5 will be shipped to the Vanadium Corporation of America, and about 15,000 lbs. V2O5 in the other products sold. The equivalent V2O5 for the last four months sales is estimated at 258,600 lbs. and the remaining stock of V2O5 on hand at the end of the year will be 1,698,227 pounds V2O5 at all places and in all products.

Tabulated, the 1935 sales V contained in FeV and V2O5 appears as inder, with the last four (4) months estimated:

[fol. 291]			
1935	0	Lbs. V in FeV	Lbs. V205
January		23,558	2,305
February.		7.347	1,015
March		15,332	5,915
April		14,985	5,014
May		19,539	6,775
June		16,903	532
July		19,215	87.655
August		21,259	83,603
8 months		138,138	192,814
Last 4 "		84,000	99,000
		222,138	291,814
Equivalent V20	05 in Fe		422,086
Total lbs. V2O5			713,900

On January 1, 1936 we should have available 2,153,527 lbs. ¥205. It must be remembered that approximately

600,000 lbs. V2O5 is always tied up in manufactured ferrovanadium and that the plant requirements are approximately, 500,000 lbs. V2O5 yearly, should sales continue about as experienced over the past three years and the usual stocks of FeV maintained. These stocks of finished FeV amount to approximately, 300,000 lbs. contained V and is a little over a year's sales' requirements of FeV.

Available Sept. 1, 1935 & Sales last 4 months 1935	2,412,127 lbs. V2O5 258,600 "	
Available Jan. 1, 1936 V2O5 in FeV stocks	2,153,527	
Plant requirements 1936	1,553,527 " ° 500,000 "	
Available for sales	1,053,527	

It may be seen from the above that there is only 1,000,000 lbs. V2O5 available for sales until more V2O5 is produced. It may also, be seen that with sales maintained at the present level, all of our stocks of V2O5 will have been exhausted by the end of 1938, provided no fused oxide is sold. Being so limited in the amount of V2O5 available for sales' purposes, we cannot take advantage of attractive business should it be offered. If we accepted 1,000,000 lbs. of fused oxide orders from the Vanadium Corporation of America or from Europe, we would be out of the vanadium business by the end of 1937.

Regardless of the substitution of other metals for vanadium in engineering steels, sales of FeV have remained about the same. It is apparent that the falling off in engineering steels is made up by the general improvement [fol. 292] in the steel business. Sales of V in FeV for the past nine (9) years are listed below, the sales for the last four (4) months of 1935 being estimated:

Year	Lbs. V in FeV	Equiv. lbs. V205
1927	163,870	311,350
1928	492,500	935,750
1929	345,220	655,920
1930	148,400	281,960
1931	158,710	301,550
1932	70,300	133,570
1933	286,410	544,180
1934	227,600	432,450
1935	222,140	422,100
	2,115,150	4,018,830

It safely may be assumed that the vanadium sales for 1936 will, at least, equal 1935. Records seem to indicate that we enjoy about 30% of the vanadium business, in which case the Vanadium Corporation will require about 1,000,000 lbs. V2O5 for their 1936 business. We should sell them vanadic acid at a price low enough so that a source of supply elsewhere will not look attractive. I am quite certain that acid from the Peruvian mine costs more than 80 cents per pound V2O5, but it certainly isn't less than 75 cents.

It may be realized from the above that time is now an important feature of our vanadium situation. It will require a year's time in which to construct the plant in the Paradox Valley and get it into production. If this new plant is to be in production the last of 1936, some of the preparatory work should be started as soon as possible.

The new plant at Uravan—which the Paradox Plant site has been named, and which will be the name of the post-office to be opened there—is estimated to cost \$366,000. During the Summer and Fall of 1934 the salt works—which is to be a part of any operation in the Paradox, was installed, and the power canal was cleaned out and repaired, with an expenditure of approximately \$16,000.

There is yet considerable preliminary work which can be done to advantage before the actual construction of the plant shall commence. During the Winter and Spring the weather is often bad in this section and would interfere with and make outside construction more costly. The work that can be done this Fall to advantage, would consist of repairing the buildings on the plant site for the housing of construction forces, putting in the water supply, finishing the re-instatement of the power plant, and moving from Rifle compressors and other equipment necessary for construction purposes. Also, there is a certain amount of [fol. 293] underground work in the mine which can be done to advantage with a small crew, preparatory to mining the ore bodies which have already been developed. The design for the construction of the plant calls for underground ore bins. The location for the plant is such that these underground ore bins can be made much larger and cheaper than bins constructed from timber or steel.

It is recommended that we proceed with this preparatory work this Fall and Winter with an expenditure not to exceed \$5,000 per month. There will be no additional overhead on this work, as we have the overhead anyway. With this work completed we will then be all ready for actual construction in the early Spring of 1936, and can have the first unit in operation by the end of 1936.

A single roaster plant on the Paradox ore will produce from 600,000 to 750,000 pounds of V2O5 yearly, which will take care of our own needs and accumulate some excess. This capacity can rapidly be increased by the addition of roaster units. The plant has been designed to allow for expansion in case increased capacity is necessary.

In Mr. MacQuigg's research report of June 1935, his conclusion points out that it would, probably, be advisable to reduce the price of vanadium products to the trade. With the new plant in operation in the Paradox Valley the price can be considerably reduced and still make as much profit as we made on the Rifle production.

We took over the United States Vanadium Company on January 1, 1927, paying therefore in cash and securities a total value of \$2,275,000. In 1927 the Rifle property was set up on the books of the United States Vanadium Corporation as follows:

Real Estate & Equipment Mine	.1 4 @	\$ 528,202.89
Discovered Mine	_	1,539,395.31 924,480.00
Total Property Set-Up	_	\$2,992,078.20

This entire set-up was depreciated and depleted with the exception of \$25,000 on the production at Rifle, amounting to approximately, 7,000,000 pounds V2O5. The \$25,000 consists of \$21,000 real estate and equipment at Columbiana, and \$4,000 real estate at Rifle. This write-off amounted to 42¢ per pound on the production at Rifle; the average production costs at Rifle Plant were 38¢ per pound. The write-off on the Rifle production was not uniform over the years, and varied considerably, but the average cost of the V2O5 in ferro-vanadium was from 80¢ to 85¢ per pound.

[fol. 294] The net profits, after all charges, on the Rifle operation to January 1, 1935, on approximately 4,600,000 pounds of V2O5 sold, amounted to \$1,965,375.68 or approximately, 42¢ per pound of V2O5 sold.

The present book value of all the property of the U. S. Vanadium Corporation is \$369,719.62. As stated above, approximately, \$25,000 of this amount is in real estate at Columbiana and Rifle. The balance of \$344,719.62 represents the value of the Paradox Valley property. With an additional expenditure of \$350,000 for the new Plant, the total investment in the Paradox Valley will amount to, approximately, \$695,000.

We own large vanadium resources in the Paradox Valley. There is measured and mined out on dumps on our property, a total of 148,170 tons of ore containing 5,300,000 pounds of recoverable V2O5. In addition, we have partly developed by underground workings and core drilling, 225,000 tons containing 8,100,000 pounds recoverable V2O5, making a total of developed resources amounting to 13,400,000 pounds of recoverable V2O5. In addition to this there is a prospective ore tonnage which can, reasonably, be estimated at a minimum of 10,000,000 pounds recoverable V2O5; and the prospects in this section would

indicate a plentiful supply of vanadium for many years to come.

If we should depreciate and deplete the Paradox investment of \$695,000 on the recoverable V2O5 already developed—amounting to 13,400,000 pounds—these charges would amount to only 5.2¢ per pound of V2O5 recovered, against the 42¢ necessary at Rifle. Estimates of the production costs in the Paradox indicate an ultimate low-cost operation. This cost has been placed at 40¢ per pound including the depreciation and depletion charges. From the Paradox operation we will, also, recover uranium and radium compounds which, if credited to the production of V2O5, would somewhat lower the estimated cost of 40¢ per pound.

If we allow the same profit of 42¢ per pound of V2O5 sold, as experienced in the sales up to January 1, 1935, we can reduce the price of V in ferro-vanadium to \$2.10 and still have the same profit.

Estimated Cost Paradox Profit	e	\$0.40 .42
2 lbs. for each lb.	,	\$0.82
V in FeV Conversion Cost		1.64 .46
Total		\$2.10

[fol. 295] Realizing 25¢ per pound profit on V2O5 which would amount to 50¢ per pound of V in FeV, the sales price could be as low as \$1.76 per pound of V in FeV.

The policy of reducing prices must be carefully considered and it may be pointed out that as long as we supply V2O5 to the Vanadium Corporation of America, we cannot reduce the price without making some adjustment with them on the high-priced material they have purchased from us and are holding in inventory. Under the circumstances a reduction in price could not very well be made immediately.

Mr. MacQuigg's report also indicates that the consumption of vanadium could be considerably increased by developing new uses in research. He estimates that this research would require from 3 to 5 years at a cost of, approximately, \$300,000. There is no question in my mind but what research on new uses for vanadium, and research to stimulate the present uses for vanadium, is very important and essential to the future of the business.

A certain amount of this research should be done in connection with the plant operation in making V2O5. Mr. Burwell has pointed out that the research of the nonferrous uses can be materially assisted in its cost side, if we can make the required salts simply and easily from the first plant solutions, rendering the precipitation and other steps now used, unnecessary.

It may be pointed out, however, that there will be no necessity for research along any lines, unless we are in position to take advantage of it on the production side. Unless we prepare for renewed production of V2O5 we will be out of the vanadium business within three years.

Very truly yours,

EW/J. R. Van Fleet IC Enc. [fol. 296]

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General Mining Department,

New York City. September 26, 1935.

#### VANADIUM SITUATION.

Mr. F. P. Gormely, Room 1715, Building.

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Plant requirements 1936	1,553,527 500,000	46
Available for sales	1,053,527	44

Should we continue to supply the Vanadium Corporation of America with V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, or take advantage of any other attractive business which might be offered, this entire stock

could easily be disposed of during 1936. If this were the case, by the end of 1936 we would have no available V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> for sale, and all of our vanadium would be contained in approximately, a year's supply of V contained in manufactured FeV for sales requirements.

It must be realized that *time* is now an important feature of our vanadium situation. It will require a year in which to construct a plant in the Paradox Valley and get it into production.

The new Paradox Plant, completed, is estimated to cost \$366,000. Of this amount, approximately, \$16,000 has been expended repairing the power dam and canal, and installing the salt works.

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EW/J.R.Van Fleet IC [fol. 300]

[Handwritten notation: Mr. Van Fleet]

U. S. Vanadium Corp.

New York City.

Mr. F. H. Haggerson, Room 1715, Building. December 3, 1935.

Messrs. F. P. Gormely, W. H. Sneath, J. M. Price. VANADIUM SITUATION.

# Dear Mr. Haggerson:

There has been much discussion of late concerning a reduction in the sales' price of vanadium. It is now thought that a reduction in price will greatly stimulate the use of vanadium. The attached chart attempts to show in graphic form the profits per pound of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> at various costs of production with the various proposed reduced sales' prices.

The top black line in the chart shows the sales' price obtained for  $V_2O_5$  when V in FeV is selling at the different prices. The center black line shows the sales' price of  $V_2O_5$  as fused vanadium exide as sold to the Vanadium Corporation of America. The bottom black line represents the cost of manufacturing  $V_2O_5$  as fused vanadium exide.

It may be seen, therefore, directly from the chart that the profit in selling fused vanadium oxide to the Vanadium Corporation of America at  $80\epsilon$  per pound, is  $20\epsilon$  per pound, and that the profit per pound of  $V_zO_z$  when selling V in FeV for \$2.70 per pound is approximately,  $50\epsilon$ .

Our present stock of fused vanadium oxide is held on the books at 60¢ per pound. This book cost, probably, does not represent the true cost as there have been many write-ups and write-downs on our present stock of  $V_2O_5$ ; and this 60¢ merely represents the actual cost of production plus the remaining write-off as of December 31, 1934 to clean up the Rifle investment.

The production costs at the new plant in Paradox Valley will be considerably lower. Whereas there was a large investment to write off at Rifle on a comparatively small amount of product, in the Paradox Valley the entire investment including new plant and property, will be approximately \$700,000 and the write-off only about five cents (5¢) per pound.

Should we have a plant in operation the latter part of 1936 it is estimated that our production costs in the Paradox Valley will reach 40¢ per pound by the middle of 1937, and that the ultimate cost in the Paradox Valley will not be over 35¢ per pound. By assuming credits for some sales of uranium oxide which will be produced from the [fol. 301] Paradox ores, the ultimate actual cost of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> will, probably, be even lower than 35¢ per pound.

It may be seen by the chart that should the price of V in FeV be reduced to \$2.30 per pound with the cost of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> at 60¢ per pound, the profit per pound of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> is 30¢. Should the price of V in FeV be reduced to \$2.30 per pound, a reduction in the sales price of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> to the Vanadium Corporation of America is indicated.

When reducing  $V_2O_5$  to V in FeV it requires two (2) pounds of  $V_2O_5$  to make one (1) pound of V in FeV. If the price of V in FeV is reduced to \$2.30 per pound or a reduction of 40e per pound, the reduction then in profits on  $V_2O_5$  put into the FeV is 20e per pound. The idea in reducing the price of V in FeV is to stimulate and encourage the use of vanadium in alloy steels, and the Vanadium Corporation of America will, undoubtedly, share proportionately in this increase in sales. It is, therefore, reasonable that they should share one-half the loss in profits per pound of  $V_2O_5$  in this attempt at stimulation, and accordingly the sales  $V_2O_5$  to the Vanadium Corporation of America we are a reduction of  $V_2O_5$  from their present price, or  $V_2O_6$  per pound.

The chart shows that a further reduction to \$2.00 per pound of V in FeV later on, would call for a sales price of 65¢ per pound V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> to the Vanadium Corporation of

America. Should this further reduction be made in the sales price of V in FeV, our ultimate profit per pound of  $V_zO_5$  will be 40e and the profit per pound of  $V_zO_5$  sold to the Vanadium Corporation of America will be 30e per pound.

The blue, broken line at the bottom of the chart represents the profits in dollars on sales of V in FeV under the profits shown on the chart. The estimated sales of V in FeV each year to establish this blue line are also shown on the chart as follows:

	Estimated	Sales	V	in	FeV.
1933	;	220	,00	0	pounds
1936	3	300	.00	0	**
1937	7	400	.00	0	44
1938	3	500	.00	0	44

It may be seen from the chart that on account of the reduction of price that in 1936 the profit will be less than in 1935 on sales of V in FeV, but it is estimated that by 1937 we will begin to reap the benefit of price reductions, and that the sales will considerably increase, and by 1938 they should reach 500,000 pounds.

[fol. 302] The red line next above represents the total profits on vanadium sales, including the profit on the V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> sold to the Vanadium Corporation of America. It will, also, be noted on this line that the total profits of vanadium sales of all kinds, will be slightly less in 1936 due to reductions and high cost of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>, but that by 1937 the profits are better, and by 1938 exceed any profits yet made on vanadium sales.

The estimated sales of fused vanadium oxide are shown on the chart as follows:

	Estimated	d Sales of V2O5.			
1935		375,000	pounds		
1936		500,000	**		
1937		1,000,000	**		
1938		1,000,000	**		

It may be thought that the Vanadium Corporation would require more than 1,000,000 pounds V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> during 1938 if the estimated stimulation in sales is brought about, but in estimating 500,000 pounds of V in FeV for 1938, I am assuming that we will obtain a larger proportion of the vanadium sales than we have previously enjoyed.

No attempt to show profits in sales of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> for direct smelting have been made, as it is assumed that such sales will detract from the sales of V in FeV. However, it is quite likely that the sales' price of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> for direct smelting purposes would be, approximately, \$1.00 per pound on which a correspondingly larger profit would be estimated—65¢ per pound against 40¢ per pound—the profit estimated on sales of V in FeV for 1938 on this chart.

We now have available for sales as fused vanadium oxide a little less than 900,000 pounds  $V_2O_5$  when deducting the 80,000# sold to the Vanadium Corporation of America last week. This quantity of  $V_2O_5$  available for sales is arrived at after reserving sufficient material for Columbiana operations during 1936 at the end of which time (1936) we will have in stock, approximately, 300,000 pounds of V in FeV. Although I have estimated, on the chart, only 500,000 pounds of  $V_2O_5$  as sales to the Vanadium Corporation of America for 1936, it is quite likely that they might require more than this if the vanadium business continues to brighten.

It may be realized, therefore, that before the end of 1936 it will be absolutely necessary to be producing more fused vanadium oxide.

Very truly yours,

EW/J. R. Van Fleet IC Enc.